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## ORDINATION SERVICE HELD LAST SUNDAY

MR. BENJAMIN ANDRES WHO WAS CALLED TO THE MARION CHURCH LAST MARCH AND WHO WAS

Graduated From Louisville Seminary in May Was Ordained Last Sunday By the Paducah Presbytery of the

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH IN THE U. S.

The presbytery met on Saturday night at 8 o'clock to listen to a sermon preached by the candidate for ordination. The text assigned to him by the Presbytery was Rom. 8:34. Mr. Andres was commanded by the Presbytery for the manner in which he treated the subject, and upon motion the Presbytery adjourned to meet the next morning to ordain him to preach the Gospel.

This being a called meeting only a sufficient number of the members of the Presbytery were present to constitute a quorum, which is three ministers and one elder. The ministers in attendance were Dr. Thos. Cummins and Rev. R. E. C. Lawson, of Henderson, and Rev. Frank M. Hawley, of Fulton. The elder was Geo. M. Crider, of Marion.

The Presbytery was called to order on Sunday morning by Dr. Cummins, and after the usual preliminary service he delivered the sermon. His text was Heb. 11:1. "Faith in the substance of things hoped for, the evidence of things not seen." The sermon was the product of a master mind; it evinced the quality of Christian Faith. It viewed the subject from many stand points, showing how the patriarchs gained prominence in the history of God's people because they exercised this true faith, which is believing in the things unseen, undiscoverable by reason. This faith is applied to Christ and his work of redemption. The whole plan of salvation is undiscoverable by reason, and must be believed by man. Christ offended the people when he told them he came from heaven; that he would give them of his flesh to eat; that God was sovereign, its because they did not have the true faith. These things are all unseen and undiscoverable by reason, hence they must be known through faith.

The speaker demonstrated how faith was not a blind trust, but that it was the substance of things hoped for. Substance means that which stands, under thus faith supports the Christian in his belief and keeps him steadfast in the things that pertain to eternal life. As Paul said, "I know whom I have believed, and am persuaded that he is able to keep that which I have committed unto him, against that day."

This sermon was appreciated by every one who heard it and it did much to strengthen the faith of the hearers.

After the sermon the candidate took the vows of the church and was duly ordained and installed as pastor of the Marion church.

After this ceremony the charge to the pastor was delivered by Rev. F. M. Hawley, who in a brief, eloquent and impressive remarks lay before the pastor the dignity of his office and the obligations which rested upon him.

The charge to the people was directed by Rev. R. E. C. Lawson to with a few practical suggestions before the people their duty as a church and their relation to their pastor.

The service taken all together was very impressive and beautiful to those who attended.

It was the evening at eight o'clock

Rev. R. E. C. Lawson addressed the Union meeting which was held at the Presbyterian church. The text was 1 Sam. 17:50, "So David prevailed over the Philistine with a sling and with a stone, and smote the Philistine and slew him, but there was no sword in the hand of David." Rev. Lawson preached a very powerful sermon from this text showing how differently God does things than does man. David went out in the name of the Lord and conquered the giant with these simple weapons. His words were encouraging to Christians to be faithful to God and trust Him and use the means that he has given us. In this way we will overcome all obstacles.

Rev. Lawson is a very animated speaker and his words carry much force with them, convincing men of the truth of God's love. A large audience heard the sermon and were highly pleased as well as greatly strengthened by the minister's remarks.

The people of Marion are grateful to these men of God for the good seed they have sown and most cordially welcome their return.

## OWNERS OF DOGS

Who Fail to List Them With Assessor Subject to Fine of \$10.

The dog law which passed both branches of the last Legislature and became effective all over Kentucky on June 11, is quite comprehensive. The following are some of its provisions:

Every dog four months old shall be taxed.

Every person who keeps or harbors a dog on his place, or allows it to be done, shall be considered the owner.

The assessor shall note the name, kind, color, size, age and sex in the assessors book.

The tax on dogs shall be kept as a separate fund and be used to pay for sheep killed by dogs.

Elaborate provisions are made for providing the loss of sheep and all claims for damages shall be acted on by the Fiscal court. The owner of the dog shall be liable for damages done by his dog, but if a person is bitten upon the owner's premises at night no damages shall be allowed.

All dogs listed for taxation shall be regarded as property and the owner may recover for all damages done to his dog.

The dog tax shall not be collectible until next year.

Every person who owns or harbors a dog and fails to list it with the assessor, shall be fined \$10 for each dog, and if he fails or refuses to pay the tax he shall be fined \$25 for each date yet to be fixed.

## Deeds Recorded.

W. Hugh Watson to C. E. Weldon house and lot in Marion, \$600.

Charley Smith to Spivy Turner, interest in land on Deer Creek, \$60.

Anna Maria Cruce and husband to J. M. Persons, interest in 25 acres on Hurricane Creek, \$10.

W. F. Brown to D. J. Brown, interest in land on Piney, \$80.

L. E. Waddell to J. W. Wilson, 50 $\frac{1}{2}$  acres on Claylick Creek, \$275.

Effie Brown to D. J. Brown, interest in land on Piney Creek, \$140.

A. F. Wolfe and others to J. R. Cook, 62 acres near Repton, \$300.

J. W. Paris and wife to E. F. Smith, interest in Roller Mill and lot in Tolu, \$500.

F. M. Devers and others to E. F. Smith, interest in roller mill and lot in Tolu, \$1000.

## JUDGE BARNES DIES AT DYCUSBURG

AFTER LONG AND PAINFUL ILLNESS LEAVES WIFE AND TWO CHILDREN TO MOURN HIS DEATH.

Was Police Judge of Dycusburg But Was Forced to Resign Some Weeks Past on Account of Ill Health

MEMBER OF MASONIC FRATERNITY

Dycusburg, Ky., July 9.—On Friday, July 6, at 5:30 p. m., Judge D. F. Barnes, after a long and painful illness, expired at his home surrounded by friends and loved ones.

He was born at Union Star, Ky., March 5, 1838. He enlisted in the Federal army in company "D," of Kentucky volunteers in the late rebellion. Later in life he engaged in mercantile business in Smithland, where he has many friends. In 1894 he was married to Miss Sue W. Garrett, and two years later removed to Breckenridge, his native county, where he resided three years. From there he came to Dycusburg in which town he has since resided.

For several years his health has been failing, and for two years previous to his death he was confined to his bed.

His sufferings were great, but his faith and patience were greater, and his death was a Christian triumph. He met his last enemy like a soldier and conquered. One little daughter preceded him to heaven, and his remaining and greatly bereaved family consists of his wife and two little sons, Eddie Garrett and Orville King Barnes. The Masons, that noble fraternity of which he was for many years a member, ministered at his bedside and lifted all care from his widow until his body was consigned to its last resting place on the western slope of the Dycusburg cemetery.

Dr. T. L. Phillips was his constant and skillful physician, but the combined skill of himself, Dr. J. V. Hayden and Dr. J. M. Graves could not restore him, for his disease was beyond the reach of man. To these physicians and to Dycusburg Masonic Lodge, his family tenders most grateful thanks. They have truly learned the protecting, comforting influence of Masonry. Religious exercises were conducted by Rev. Robert Johnson, pastor of the Methodist church, at his home, in the presence of many sympathizing friends, and a Masonic funeral will occur at a date yet to be fixed.

Circuit Court Adjourned

Circuit court adjourned Saturday and Judge Gordon left for his home in Madisonville the same day. The following cases were disposed of since our last issue:

Nannie Mitchell vs H. H. King, recovery of property, judgment for plaintiff.

Martha C. Hardin vs Columbia Mining Co., damage, judgment for plaintiff.

C. Harris vs L. C. railroad, damage, judgment for plaintiff.

A. H. Reed vs Marion Zinc Co., judgment for plaintiff.

The bride is very handsome and is quite popular in Marion society.

Mr. Seaman is a son of Mr. T. C. Seaman, of Princeton, and is at present engaged in the stave mill business at McMinnville, Tenn., where they will make their future home.

On account of the recent bereavement in the family of the bride, in the loss of her father, the ceremony was a quiet one, and was attended by only the immediate members of the family.

A Card of Thanks.

We wish to thank the many friends who so willingly did all that could be done in the death and burial of our precious little one. May God's richest blessing ever attend them.

C. W. and EFFIE LOVE.

## John McNeely Dead.

Last Thursday, July 5th, Mr. Jno McNeely, a well known citizen of this town, died at the residence of his daughter, Mrs. Amy Menser, near Dawson, Ky. Mr. McNeely had been a sufferer from childhood with white swelling, and this, together with a case of flux, which attacked him a week ago, was the cause of his death. He was born in Caldwell county, Ky., on Jan. 29, 1840, and was married in 1869 to Mrs. Elizabeth Roberts, who survives him; 7 children blessed this union, 1 of whom died in infancy, and the 6 surviving are Mrs. Annie Menser, of Dawson; Mrs. Frank Doss of Princeton, Ky.; Misses Ella and Bird McNeely, of this city; two sons, Albert H. and Charles McNeely.

While Mr. McNeely has been a sufferer for many years with white swelling, he was not thought to be dangerously ill until a week ago and his death was a great surprise to his many friends here, where he has been well and favorably known for the past seven years, having moved here from Nashville in 1899.

He was a Cumberland Presbyterian and the Rev. Jas. F. Price officiated at the funeral and interment, which took place here Friday afternoon at the new cemetery.

An Enjoyable Evening

Mrs. H. D. Pollard entertained last Saturday evening in honor of her niece, Miss Sallie Joe McGehee, of Elton, at her home on Bellville. Punch was served throughout the evening by Mrs. C. J. Haury.

A very interesting contest was engaged in, Miss Mary Caton, of Morganfield, winning the prize—a box of Lowney's bon-bons, and the consolation prize—a basket of cakes, was won by Clarence Gilliland.

The principal feature of the evening was fortune telling, Mrs. Lowry being the palmist.

Delicious refreshments of ices and cake were served in the hall. A very enjoyable evening was spent by all. The guests were Misses Pearl Doss, Inez Price, Bernice and Maude Driskill, Bulah Conyer, Grace Moore Mabel Yandell, Nelle Sutherland, Vera McCord, Willie Hale, Maude Gilliland, Ina Koon, and Mary Caton and Rudy Brinson, of Morganfield, and Ray Flanary, Creed Taylor, Clarence Gilliland, Harvey Mulhal, Kearney McCord, Gray Rochester, Sylvan Price, Emmet Koltinsky and Lossie Gilbert.

## MINERAL STAKE NEAR CARRSVILLE

From the Drift of the Lead It Is Thought To be the Fairview Vein.

While digging in a cellar under the residence of Prof. C. W. Wright, near Carrsville, last week, workmen uncovered a very rich vein of fluor spar. The mineral is mixed with the clay and begins to show up not more than 4 $\frac{1}{2}$  or 5 feet from the surface. About 6 feet of the width of the vein is uncovered in the west side of the vein, and it is not known how much wider the vein is. The vein runs from N. E. to S. W., and according to late geological survey it seems reasonably certain that the Professor has struck the famous Fairview Lead.

## Givens' Old "Grey" Runs Away.

Last Thursday about noon Mr. Givens' old grey horse was frightened and ran away throwing James Carloss the little delivery boy, out knocking out several of his teeth and bruising him up considerably.

James is the son of Mrs. W. T. Carloss and has been assisting Mr. Givens for some time in the meat market. Dr. Driskill is the attending physician and James is at this time improving and hopes to be out soon.

## Merry Crowd Go Hay Riding.

With Miss Leaffa Wilborn a jolly crowd went on a hay ride to Crittenden Springs last Friday evening. The party was composed of the following:

Misses Mary Caton and Rudy Brinson, Morganfield, Mildred Hayes, Inez Price, Ellis Gray; Messrs. Ray Flanary, Jno. B. Sedberry, Trice Bennett, Fred Owen, Lossie Gilbert.

Five freight cars were turned over and badly wrecked but luckily, the engine did not leave the track. The caboose did not fare as well as the engine and left the track and Conductor Hughes, of Evansville who was in the caboose at the time, was slightly injured internally. He was taken to his home last night and it is not thought that he will be compelled to keep to his room more than a few days.

Spreading rails are supposed to have caused the wreck. The tracks were cleared shortly after the accident and traffic was not delayed but a very short time.

## A Juvenile Entertainment.

In honor of Mary Lambert and Rebecca Cromwell, of Henderson, Anna Cox entertained a few of her little friends Wednesday evening, July 4, from 5 to 8 on the lawn at her residence on Walker street.

Every thing was given a touch of red, white and blue suggestive of the day. The first game played was similar to the game of "nine pins." Fire-crackers were arranged at one end of the room and from the opposite end each player rolled a ball aiming to knock over the fire crackers. Ruth Flanary knocked over the greatest number and won the first prize, Lemma James won the consolation prize. Luncheon was served on the lawn and a splendid time was reported by the crowd of little girls.

## Bids Wanted.

Sealed bids will be received for construction of a brick church in Smithland, Ky., until August 1st, '06, plans by architect shown on application. Brick and stone on lot, foundation ready. Smithland, Ky. Chas. Rutter, W. L. Clarke, C. H. Wilson, Building Committee.

## Home Coming Meeting.

On Wednesday, July 18, 1906, at Siloam church there will be a home coming meeting and everyone is invited to come and bring well filled baskets. Protracted meeting will begin on next Monday night.

## WRECK AT BLACKFORD

Five Freight Cars Were Derailed—Conductor Hughes Was Badly Injured.

Freight train No. 302 on the Illinois Central railroad north-bound was wrecked about two miles below Blackford Sunday afternoon between 3 and 4 o'clock.

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A most interesting meeting was held. Dr. W. H. Gilbert read a paper on "Pelvic Inflammation."

Dr. M. Raydin read a paper on "Obitis Media."

Dr. A. J. Driskill read a paper on "Surgical Therapy."

Dr. T. A. Frazer read a paper on "Management of Typhoid Fever."

All of these papers were discussed by the entire Board, and all present entered into the discussions.

The city physicians who attended were Drs. T. A. Frazer, J. W. Trisler, A. J. Driskill, and W. T. Daugherty. The Society adjourned to meet at their regular date, 3 months hence.

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## J. B. M'CREARY ENTERS RACE FOR SENATOR

He Announces His Candidacy Over His Own Signature

### TO THE DEMOCRATS OF KENTUCKY:

I have in various newspaper interviews declared my candidacy for United States Senator and I now, over my own signature, submit to you my candidacy for the nomination of United States Senator, according to the plan announced by the Democratic Executive committee of Kentucky.

For the honor conferred upon me in 1902 when I was elected United States Senator, I am sincerely grateful. I have tried to be faithful and efficient, and the manner in which I have discharged my official duties I leave to the unprejudiced judgment of the people of Kentucky.

I have always been in favor of primary elections, fairly and legally held, and I have always been opposed to bossism or machine rule. When I was first a candidate for United States Senator the other candidates and myself agreed to a primary election to be held two months before the election of United States Senator by the General Assembly, but the State Democratic committee did not deem it for the best interests of the Democratic party and refused to order a primary election.

The proposed primary election is ordered to be held many months earlier than any primary election to nominate either State officers or United States Senator was ever held in Kentucky, or in any other state. For many years primaries or conventions in our state to nominate candidates for state offices have been held in May or June of the year in which the candidates nominated were to be voted for at the November election, and it has been heretofore believed that said primaries should not occur when presidential or congressional elections are held, so that national and state issues would be separated.

The primary election ordered to be held on the 6th of November will occur on the regular election day when Representatives in Congress will be elected, and this primary election was called eighteen months before the election of a United States Senator by the General Assembly and two years and four months before the Senator-elect can take his seat in the United States Senate, and candidates for state offices will be nominated twelve months before they can be elected, and the call for a primary to nominate them so early is in violation of the rule adopted by the Democrats at the last state convention in 1904.

The success of the democratic party should be paramount to the success of any individual, and the governing authorities of the democratic party should act for the benefit of the whole Democratic Party and not for the benefit of a few democrats.

The outlook for Democratic victory in the next national election is brighter than it has been in years, and becoming more favorable every day. Kentucky democrats must give no aid to "rule or ruin" policies, but uphold wise and just policies, that will keep Kentucky in the democratic column, with an increased democratic majority.

I have perfect confidence in the Democrats of Kentucky, and I willingly and gladly submit to their judgment and their action my aspiration for second term in the United States Senate.

I have always been a faithful, loyal democrat, and I have worked and made speeches in every campaign in our state for thirty years, and I have always when in office given all of my time to the faithful discharge of my duties, and when our state had been republican several years, and I was requested by the democratic authorities to take charge of the campaign in 1900, I managed the campaign, visited many counties in the state, and organized and made many speeches, and with the aid of my brother democrats we redeemed the state from the republican rule and gave a majority to our candidate for Governor and our candidate for

### President.

Precedents are not lacking in Kentucky for giving to her Senators, whose services have proven satisfactory, second and even third terms, and as democrats have not objected to or criticised my record I am asking an endorsement.

Legislation on important questions and the great issues now before our country, concern the welfare of the people more than ever before and I trust my experience and my investigation make me better equipped for faithful and efficient discharge of my duties if I am elected.

The democratic majority in Kentucky is small when both political parties vote their full strength. Our majorities in recent years, as compared with those twenty-five years ago, admonish us of the necessity of earnest and united party action. Every democrat who participates in the primary election should endeavor to strengthen our party and improve its prospects for victory at the regular election by conducting the campaign on a high and honorable plane, and by seeing that every candidate has justice and fair play, and that an honest primary is held and every vote counted as cast.

Respectfully,  
J. B. M'CREARY.  
Richmond, Ky., June 28, 1906.

### Modest Claims Often Carry the Most Conviction.

When Maxim, the famous gun inventor, placed his gun before a committee of judges, he stated its carrying power to be much below what he felt sure the gun would accomplish. The result of the trial was therefore a great surprise, instead of disappointment. It is the same with the manufacturers of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy. They do not publicly boast of all this remedy will accomplish, but prefer to let the users make the statements. What they do claim, is that it will positively cure diarrhoea, dysentery, pains in the stomach and bowels and has never been known to fail. For sale by Woods & Orme.

### A Mysterious Box.

A few days ago a small, curious looking box of peculiar shape, came to the express office and remains there yet. The box is of Oriental design and about two feet square. There are silvery looking hinges on it, but the lock is on the inside. Several

## JOHN ROBINSON'S

### Ten Big Combined Shows to Exhibit in Princeton July 19th.

Indications are that a large crowd will attend from here. Very low excursion rates will be in effect on all railroads.

The show under the management of John Robinson, is now enjoying its eighty-third year of prosperity, and is one of the foremost amusement attractions of America, if not of the world.

It numbers among its ardent favorites some of the most expensive and best acts that money can procure. The Capt. Thomson troupe of American cavalymen, in expert feats of daring and original horsemanship. Dare-Devil DeBurry, who sets at a defiance all the laws of nature when he dashes down a dizzy incline, and with the speed of a hurricane loops the gap on a bicycle; the marvelous educated group of seals, under the master hand of Capt. Winston; Edna acknowledged Princess of the realm of horse womanhood, the world's only lady somersault rider, and twenty equestrian associates; forty joyous subjects of King Momus in a gleeful sufficiency, and more than a hundred other foreign and American features in three rings and an elevated stage, and introducing as an added feature King Solomon, His Temple and the Queen of Sheba, requiring a cast of a thousand men, women, children and horses, 100 ballet girls reproducing the dances of the day of the king of a thousand wives.

The Robinson Show has always been famed for its menagerie, and this season finds the zoological annex the most complete ever carried by a tented show, comprising costly and rare animals from every section of the globe. This splendid array of animal talent will be seen in the big daily street parade, pronounced by all as the most gorgeous and elaborate pageant of modern times, comprising more than a mile of gold enclosed wagons, chariots and 500 of the finest of American horses. This is the only big show that is not in the trust and no advance in the price will be made. At Princeton, Ky., Thursday, July 19, 1906.

### A Modern Miracle.

"Truly miraculous seemed the recovery of Mrs. Holt of this place," writes J. O. R. Hooper, Woodford, Tenn., "she was so wasted by coughing up pus from her lungs. Doctors declared her end so near that her family had watched by her bed-side forty-eight hours; when, at my urgent request Dr. King's New Discovery was given her, with the astonishing result that improvement began and continued until she finally completely recovered, and is a healthy woman to day." Guaranteed cure for coughs and colds. 50c and \$1.00 at Woods & Orme's Druggist.

### Beats The Music Cure.

"To keep the body in tune," writes Mrs. Mary Brown, 20 Lafayette Place, Poughkeepsie, N. Y. "I take Dr. King's New Life Pills. They are the most reliable and pleasant laxative I have found." Best for the Stomach; Liver and Bowels. Guaranteed by Woods & Orme druggist 25c.

### Mrs. Olive Clark

Again God has called, and obedient to the summons, Olive Clark accompanied the heavenly visitors to the eternal beyond.

She was the daughter of J. T. and Elizabeth Kemp, and was born August 8, 1878; she was married to O. L. Clark, Dec. 21, 1900, and departed this life June 4, 1906.

She was prevailed on in her youthful days to make a profession of religion and joined the C. P. church at Fredonia. But later in life she realized she did not enjoy experimental and heartfelt religion as she thought Christians did. But in her last days, eight or ten months before her death she was convicted of sin and her lost condition, and her conviction was such that she found no rest until some time in December 1905 when the Lord, her Saviour, revealed himself unto her and showed her the way of life, the straight and narrow way which leads to God and to Glory. After she had realized her sins forgiven and the love of God shed abroad in her heart, all fear and dread of death was removed, and she said she was willing to die.

She had two sweet little children, darlings of her own bosom. She said

she hated to leave them, but said the Lord would provide a way for them.

It is a great comfort to her husband and parents and all to have the assurance that dear Ollie is saved in heaven. All is well with her.

Her funeral took place at 4 o'clock Tuesday evening, June 5th at Pleasant Hill church, conducted by J. R. Clark and J. A. Hunt after which her body was laid away in the tomb.

J. R. CLARK.

### May Live 100 Years.

The chances for living a full century are excellent in the case of Mrs. Jennie Duncan, of Haynesville, Me., now 70 years old. She writes: "Electric Bitters cured me of Chronic Dyspepsia of 20 years standing, and made me feel as well and strong as a young girl." Electric Bitters cure Stomach and liver diseases, Blood disorders, General Debility and bodily weakness. Sold on a guarantee at Woods & Orme's drug store. Price only 50c.

### Wages Can Be Garnisheed for Taxes.

A man's wages are not exempt from garnishment for the collection of taxes, according to a decision handed down by the Appellate Court in the case of A. Hobbs, who refused to pay his taxes, amounting to \$2.50. Heretofore it has been considered that a man was practically immune from payment of taxes unless he was the owner of real estate. The town marshal garnisheed Hobbs' wages, adding \$18.45 as costs of the proceeding. Hobbs resisted payment and set up the usual plea that his wages were exempt because he was a married man living with his family. The court held, however, that the usual right to exemption does not protect a man from claims for taxes and the cost of collecting them.—Louisville Times.

### Will Interest Many.

Every person should know that good health is impossible if the kidneys are deranged. Foley's Kidney Cure will cure kidney and bladder disease in every form, and will build up and strengthen these organs so they will perform their functions properly. No danger of Bright's disease or diabetes if Foley's Kidney Cure is taken in time. Woods & Orme.

### More Business.

Mr. Geo. P. Roberts, of Marion, Ky., has been here for some time loading some spar at the incline. This mineral product is mined at Carrollton, Ky., and Rosiclair, Ill., and shipped by river in barges to this city and is then loaded on the cars and shipped to Marion. At Marion the spar is ground, cleaned and prepared for shipment to eastern cities. This is comparatively new business for the incline tracks and is a help to our city, as it gives employment to several laborers in loading the cars.—Uniontown Telegram.

### A Guaranteed Cure For Piles.

Itching, Blind, Bleeding, Producing Piles. Druggists are authorized to refund money if Pazo Ointment fails to cure in 6 to 14 days. 50c.

## Monuments!

### Marble and Granite



Always remember that we sell Marble and Granite Monuments cheaper than anybody. We guarantee our work and stand behind the guarantee. See us before buying.

### HENRY & HENRY,

Marion, Ky.

## JUNE BRIDE SALE



NUNN & TUCKER, House Furnishers,  
MARION, KENTUCKY.

### Regulating License Law

An act passed by congress June 21, requiring collectors of international revenue to supply to prosecuting attorneys and officers of counties, cities, and states, certified copies of the names of individuals who secure special licenses from the government to sell liquor, is now in effect.

Government officers state that perhaps 10 per cent. of those who take out a special license to sell liquor, fail to take out either city, State or county license. Until congress passed the act referred to collectors were not permitted to furnish certified statements. Under the new arrangements the prosecution of offenders will be comparatively easy.

### To Inez.

BY O. O. W.

Seek not apart for beauty. Let it glow,

In dew-wet grasses all about the feet,

In birds, in sunshine, childish faces sweet,

In stars and mountain summits, topped with snow,

Go not abroad for happiness. For see

It is a flower that blossoms by the door,

Bring love and justice home and then no more

Thou'll wonder in what dwelling joy may be.

Dream not of noble service, elsewhere wrought,

The simple duty that awaits thy hand

Is God's voice uttering a divine command,

Life's common deeds build all that saints have thought,

In wonder-working or soru bush afame,

Men look for God and fancy Him concealed;

But in earth's common things He stands revealed.

While grass, and flowers and stars spell out His name.

### Well Known Here.

Rev. W. F. Hogard, who is well known in this community, where he has hosts of friends, is now stationed at Greensburg, one of Kentucky's oldest towns, and is enjoying fine health. Marion, his oldest son, is now employed in Chicago, and has a fine position. Wilson, another son, is employed in Denver, Colorado, and his daughter, Miss Cora, who graduated recently from Logan Female College at Russellville, Ky., and has since been elected principal of the Greensburg High School, is now taking a special preparatory course in the State College at Lexington; all of which goes to show that the Lord has blessed Bro. Hogard and all his family. Every one who knows him will be glad to learn of this.

### Overdue Steamer Arrives.

Hamilton, Bermuda, July 4.—The overdue steamer America reached St. George today in tow of the steamer Dinamore, which picked her up with machinery disabled off the Azores Islands June 27. The America broke a shaft June 16 and drifted about until picked up by the Dinamore. The passengers behaved well, but complained of the food and water.

### Chiffon Streamers.

A very successful beauty touch consists of chiffon streamers added to a lingerie hat. Every summer girl needs one or two washable linen hats made with a brim of embroidery. The most serviceable are those that have buttoned on crown, as they are so much easier to launder. Now a hat of this sort may have more than one or two beauty touches, adjustable ones, that can be put on for different occasions. For instance, if the hat is to be worn with a white dotted swiss gown, scattered with a design in pink roses, the beauty touch may consist of pale pink chiffon streamers knotted loosely under the chin, and having ends long enough to float off gracefully, and in addition the hat itself may have a bit of pink velvet bow, wired just sufficiently so that it has the effect of just slightly, in butterfly fashion, upon the brim. If the gown happens to be pale yellow, delicate blue, or faint green, then the clever girl selects her chiffon streamers and little bow so that they match it in tint. These beauty touches have only to be tried to prove their value.—Grace Margaret Gould, in Woman's Home Companion for July.

### Stenographers Wanted

There is a great demand for good stenographers. You can secure a good position by attending the Bowling Green Business University, at Bowling Green, Ky. Address as above for catalogue and further particulars.

### Half The World Wonders

How the other half lives. Those who use Buckle's Arnica Salve never wonder if it will cure Cuts, Wounds, Burns, Sores and all Skin eruptions; they know it will. Mrs. Grant Shy, 1130 E. Reynolds St., Springfield, Ill., says: "I regard it one of the absolute necessities of housekeeping." Guaranteed by Woods & Orme druggist 25c.

### Struck It Rich.

Chicago, July 4.—Miss Georgia Savage is on her way to her old home in Hammond with new riches gained through a lucky gold strike by her brother at the new mining town of Wonder, Nevada.

The young woman was a salesgirl at a ribbon counter in Spokane, Washington, until a few months ago. She "staked" her brother, L. A. Savage, to the amount of her savings, one hundred dollars, when he was ill in a hospital in Spokane, and on a prospecting tour after his recovery Savage became lost in a storm in Nevada. He found a place where lightning had bared a gold deposit of immense and as yet untold value. He claimed the site and the town of Wonder sprang up, starting a gold fever. Now, as a result of the strike Miss Savage has fifty thousand dollars in cash and a sixth interest in her brother's claim.

### In Great Demand.

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## BRIDE AT SHIP'S HELM.

MRS. G. W. ROBINSON ASSISTS HER HUSBAND IN DARING OCEAN RACE.

Twenty-Eight Foot Yacht Braves Dangers of Gulf Stream and Treacherous Waves Off Cape Hatteras—Winner Received \$500 Lipton Cup.

After a daring ocean race of 650 miles, the sloop Gauntlet, with Mrs. Thora Lund Robinson at the wheel, finished second in the contest for which Sir Thomas Lipton offered a \$500 cup. The course of the race extended from Gravesend Bay, New York Harbor, to Bermuda. Mrs. Robinson is the two months' bride of George W. Robinson, the owner of the boat. It was a daring race for each of the three small yachts that competed, but more so for the Gauntlet, because she was the smallest of them all, being only 28 feet long from bow to stern. The yawl Tamerlane, which won the cup, was 40 feet long and the yawl Lila, 39 feet. All of the craft belong to the Brooklyn Yacht Club. For eight days these tiny boats were at the mercy of wind and wave, as much so that the yawl Lila was compelled to put into Norfolk harbor to save itself from destruction while the smaller yacht bravely stuck to its task. They had to cross the gulf stream 150 miles off Hatteras, one of the stormiest spots on the Atlantic. Experienced yachtsmen were much surprised that the little Gauntlet was not wrecked or foundered somewhere on the way.

## BUT TWENTY YEARS OLD.

Mrs. Robinson is only 20 years old but ever since childhood she has been used to boating and swimming. For several seasons she has sailed an eighteen-foot knockabout, making her summer headquarters near Amboy, on the lower New York bay. Though small, she is athletic and skilled in handling a craft and is said to be without fear on the water. Storm or sunshine is all the same to her.

"One of the conditions of our marriage on April 17th," said Mrs. Robinson before starting in the race, "was that I should go in this contest. George tried to dissuade me a few days after we were married, but I made him keep his promise. Although I am rated as the chief mate and bottle washer, if you will, of the Gauntlet, I have an idea that I may superintend things before I get through."

"Yachting is not new to me. I sail ed a knockabout for years in the lower bay. I learned to swim because I was capsized so many times that I had to learn."

"Mr. Robinson and myself are to stand watch together, while J. L. Dunlap and H. Higgins, the remainder of the Corinthian crew, will alternate in keeping watch. Steer? Why you don't suppose I'm going to be a passenger? I can, and am going to, do everything that a good navigator must do."

## STUMPED PROFESSIONAL SALT.

Professional sailors stood aghast at the courage of the Corinthian tars in undertaking such a perilous voyage. Disaster was predicted from the first. The yawl Lila lost her mainmast shortly after the start outside Sandy

proposed to accompany the yacht, and it was with consternation that the regatta committee learned that she meant to go. Refusal to permit her to start, threatened to disqualify the boat, and all appeals were in vain. At last the committee yielded and permitted her to start.

The Tamerlane finished the course at Hamilton, Bermuda, at 3 o'clock June 3rd, while the Gauntlet did not arrive until 24 hours later. The result was in doubt until the finish of this tiny boat, as the Tamerlane had to allow it 16 hours and 10 minutes owing to the difference in their length.

## Thomas Jefferson's Bible.

The Jefferson Bible, with its beautiful red Morocco binding, made no little trouble in the House while it was a single forgotten volume resting under lock and key at the Smithsonian Institution. Now that it has been photographed and reproduced in numerous copies, the little volume has multiplied care for the Senate. Hardly a man of the ninety but has had thousands of requests for the book, and more are coming in by every mail.

It seems that some enterprising business man advertised the Jefferson Bible prominently in a well-known magazine. He announced that it could be had for nothing if one would write to one's Senator or Member of Congress, concluding his advertisement with the further statement that he had gone to considerable expense in having the advertisement printed, and hoped readers would turn to his business announcement on another page.

So it is that requests are rolling in upon Senators especially, for the public seems to have taken the idea that they are more legitimate prey than gentlemen at the other end of the Capitol. Each Senator's quota is but thirty copies, and the only good way out of the dilemma appears to be to print more, just as Congress has done with the horse book and other popular Government publications. Better send for one before the second reprint is all distributed.

## Who For Next President?

From American Spectator.

At considerable expense American Spectator has obtained opinions and expressions of the same from all of the prominent candidates for Presidential nomination. These are all un-genuine, having come to us over our own private line, the least longest wire in the world. The pithy, epigrammatic summing up will, of course, be thoroughly appreciated. The following terse expressions are in answer to our query, "Will you be a candidate?"

Taft—My candidacy is a weighty problem, and there is a heavy responsibility attached.

Cannon—Will if I do.

Bryan—The third is the lucky trial. I shall not get out of communication with my friends.

Shaw—I have always universally considered myself a strong candidate. Hobson—Of course, it is an office of limited responsibilities—but—

Fairbanks—You'll really have to ask Mrs. F.

Funston—Am too busy to think of it, but they do say I was born in Ohio.

Foraker—I may have to do it just

## RUSS BANQUETS JAP.

## BARON ROSEN ENTERTAINS THE FIRST JAPANESE AMBASSADOR TO AMERICA.

Cordial Diplomatic Relations Established Following Bloodiest War in Modern History—Count Aoki the Guest of Honor.

That social ceremonials follow peace conferences was demonstrated the other evening, at Washington, when the Russian Ambassador and Baroness Rosen gave a dinner to the Japanese Ambassador and Viscountess Aoki.

While the historic Portsmouth Peace Conference was concluded many months ago, and, politically, Japan and Russia then resumed diplomatic relations so abruptly terminated at the commencement of the Russo-Japanese war, this function marks the resumption of social intercourse between the representatives of these great nations.

Although Viscount Aoki only arrived in Washington a few weeks ago,

considerable interest has since been manifested in the personal relationship

Jurgis laughed at the discontent everywhere manifest. "They are not men," he exclaimed. "What of the 'speeding up' practice of the packers? It was but play to him to keep abreast of the fastest. He was working to wed Ona.

They were all cheated shamelessly by the sharks which infest the great packing district; they could not speak English and they were at the mercy of these parasites. But as new obligations arose in the buying of a small, worthless house, sold them by an unscrupulous agent, etc., etc., Jurgis but smiled grimly, confident in his strength, energy and great love for Ona. "I will work the harder" he says. And then came a misfortune. Ona, a mere bloom of a girl of 17, had to go to work—temporarily. Then a younger child. Then Jurgis had a fateful day, after many months of faithful and herculean service for the great corporation. In the melee of a wounded steer running amuck, he slipped on the bloody floor and sprained his ankle. Did the packers give him a short furough with pay while he was recovering; at least they held his place for him? Neither. He returned to work, not very strong looking through pain

## BACK TO NAPOLI.

## STORY OF A FRAGMENT OF REAL LIFE AS PORTRAYED IN A NEW STAGE PLAY.

Showing the Operations of the Immigration Law as it Affects Those who Attempt to Enter the American Portals.

An hour at Ellis Island in New York harbor, is full of smiles and tears. The newly arrived immigrant, before he has changed his native garb, with his outlandish boxes and bundles still about him, is eternally interesting.

His meetings and partings are full of a childish exuberance and abandon. He is never so picturesque or so pathetic as when he has just doubtfully intrusted himself to the great machinery of a new land and law.

He hasn't been much on the stage—this immigrant—but a fragment of his life finds its way there in a one-act play called "The Land of the Free," by W. C. De Mille, which was seen recently at a Vassar Aid Society matinee.

It is described by the Times as a simple little story, one that happens day after day.

In a room of the big immigration building, with its desk and its blue-coated official, an Italian workman walks excitedly up and down. His clothes are cheap and poor, but they are plainly not his working garb, and a bright holiday handkerchief is knotted about his throat. His eyes are keen and expectant. Evidently it is a great day for him. It needs little encouragement from the good-natured officer to bring out the whole story.

But Maria is overcome.

"Back to Napoli? Alone?" she sobs. A sudden thought comes to Luigi.

"No, no; not alone. I go too. If they send you, I go too."

He rushes over to the officer with his poor seven silver dollars, only to be met with the cruel truth, "Not half enough for your ticket."

Meanwhile the boat is returning.

The officer lays his hand kindly on Maria's shoulder. The children look

wonderingly on. Painfully the little trio pick up their bundles and turn back to the great gates. Luigi embraces them between his sobs.

"Don't cry, carissima; don't cry—I soon make twelve, fifteen dollar week and buy a peanut stand, an' I keep da little home. Then you come again to stay. Don't cry—you go to the Mader in Napoli. Ah, Dio! We have waits three year an' I must sends you back. Maybe next year I send for you again."

As they pass out of his sight his voice fails him and he falls sobbing against the gate.

The author is said to have got his idea for the piece from a newspaper paragraph read at the breakfast table describing in three lines a case of the sort.

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Robert Paton Gibbs, who played Luigi, studied his type with the help of a Neapolitan who has been long enough away from home to know the salient characteristics of his own people. The extra woman who fit so well into the picture are caretakers of the Hudson theater.

"We used to rehearse the piece every now and then down in the coal cellar," explained Mr. Gibbs, "and these two women used to come and weep over you."

Live Healthily.

Horace Smith.

The English Poet. Born 1779. Died 1849.

Ye who would have your features florid, Little limbs, bright eyes, unwrinkled fore-head.

From age's devastation horrid.

Adopt this plan—

A' twill make, in climate cold or torrid,

A' pale old man (or woman),

Avoid in passion, inebriety;

Resist the passions, inebriety;

Devoted to domestic quiet,

Be wisely gay;

Resist decay.

Seek not Mammon's worship pleasure,

Seek not your dearest treasure,

in God, His word, His work, not leisure.



## OUR HOME TOWN.

A Department Devoted to Village Betterment.  
RICHARD HAMILTON BYRD.

"My ideal of civilization is a very high one; but the approach to it is a New England town of some two thousand inhabitants, with one man and no poor man in it; all making their own bread; every child at the same school, and every person in the beggar's opportunities equal, nobody too poor to stand aloof, nobody too humble to be shut out. That's New England as it was fifty years ago. . . . The civilization that lingers beautifully on the hillsides of New England, and nestles sweetly in the valleys of Vermont, the moment it approaches a crowd like Boston, or a million men gathered in one place like New York, rots. It can not stand the greater centers of modern civilization." —Wendell Phillips.

It is a well-known fact that the cities are rapidly sapping the strength of the village communities and the country towns by destroying local trade and undermining the local spirit. The very life of the country town depends upon the checking of this paralyzing force and the protection of local interests.

The only way this can be accomplished is by arousing local sentiment in favor of the improvement of local environment, the beautifying of home surroundings and the maintenance of LOCAL BUSINESS by LOCAL TRADE.

To that end the editor of this department desires to keep in touch with the active members of Civic and Local Improvement Associations, and every one interested in the improvement and the protection of rural village life.

What is being done in your town to encourage small industries and for home employment? What is being done along the line of street improvement and the beautifying of private lawns and public parks?

Are your local merchants receiving the support of the local trade?

Experience, plans and suggestions will be welcomed by the editor of this department and so far as possible given place in these columns.

## MAIL ORDER BUSINESS.

**ENORMOUS STRUCTURES TO BE ERECTED BY MONTGOMERY WARD AND COMPANY AND OTHERS.**

Suggests Question Whether Giant Catalogue Houses are Benefit or Detriment to the Farmer and the Country Generally.

Chicago is to have the greatest building the world over constructed for commercial purposes. It will have a floor space of 50 acres—a good sized farm. It is to be 10 stories high, including the basement, and were it to be all stretched out on one floor it would cover 13 of the big city blocks in the windy city. It will be 900 feet in length and 270 feet wide and will be built of steel and concrete. The cost will be \$2,500,000. The present building occupied by Montgomery Ward and Company is a huge affair, but is stated to be entirely inadequate to the needs of this enormous mail order house, and so this new pile is to be constructed.

It seems to be the time of big commercial houses in the great centers of the country. Another big firm is to erect a building on Chicago avenue, which will contain a million square feet—200 feet by 800 feet; Sears, Roebuck and Company is a big Chicago business rival of the Montgomery Ward firm, and has just also been incorporated to do business in New York, with a capitalization of \$40,000,000, paying the State incorporation tax of \$2,000.

### TO BE PROUD OF.

These are fine projects, and at first thought may make one proud of American business institutions, but what is the real effect of the success of these gigantic commercial houses upon the country's prosperity? How does their business affect the country merchant, the country banker, the country town itself and in fact the country people who are the patrons of the great mail order houses. What creates the village, the town, the thriving city? What keeps it a live and bustling center rather than a dead congregation of a few houses with one or two miserable stores? It is the patronage and support, it is not of the surrounding country homes. Towns are built up only when they have support from an agricultural territory, which is the case in nine out of ten instances. But conversely, the richness of the soil alone does not make the most valuable farms.

### THE MARKET FOR PRODUCTS.

There must be a good market for the farm product; if the farm is adjacent to a live growing town supporting active and well-to-do-people, the market for the farmer's products will be active and the prices good. If the town be a dead one, he will have to turn elsewhere to dispose of his products, and perhaps incur heavy transportation charges in their shipment. This fact is set forth unmistakably in the last census figures which show that in a small area of the United States, the regions where factories abound—a district comprising but little over 10 per cent. of the United States—the value of the farm lands is over half that of all of the arable land in the entire country. The farms in these regions are located close to the factories, which afford a profitable home market

greatest good for the greatest number. The farms of each agricultural area surrounding a town should support that town to their uttermost.

### KEEP THE MONEY AT HOME.

Every dollar that the farmer spends in the town indirectly comes back to him in the way of benefits. The town grows, it supports better stores, more churches, better schools to which he can send his children, furnishes better near-at-hand markets for his products, and finally increases the very value of his farm land. As a good illustration, the Dry Goods Reporter assumes that such an agricultural town has a population of 1000, its support coming from the country tributary to it. The life of the town is its retail trade. If it secures the entire purchasing business of the farmers, it must of necessity grow rapidly. But Montgomery Ward and Co., Sears, Roebuck and Co., and others of the enormous mail order houses send out their great four or five pound catalogues describing everything under the sun. Suppose that instead of spending his \$600 a year in his home town, each farmer in the community diverts 50 per cent of his trade from his town and sends \$300 a year to the catalogue houses; it means that half of the business of the town is gone. On the basis of one hundred or one hundred and fifty square miles of territory to support the town, it can be estimated that there are five hundred farmers in the district. Three hundred dollars a year in trade from each of the farmers means that one hundred and fifty thousand dollars annually is taken from the home town.

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## CHAPTER VII.

**H**e might not return to Beaujoulin within the year, and if his brothers' dogs were to be set upon him, he showed face. Minned land, then, he showed face. Alayne adrift upon earth, North, south, east and west—he might turn where he would, but all was equally chill and cheerless. The Abbot had rolled ten silver crowns in a lettuce-leaf and hid them away in the bottom of his pocket, that would be a sorry support for twelve long months. In all the darkness there was but the one bright spot of the sturdy comrades whom he had left that evening; if no could find them again all would be well. He pushed on therefore, now walking and running.

The forest began to shred out into scattered belts of trees, with gleam of sunlight and stretch of pasture-land between. Here and there a hedge and side stood little knots of wattle-and-daub, with red-chained laborers lazing by the doors and red-cheeked children sprawling in the roadway.

By these Alayne knew that he was on the very fringe of the forest, and therefore no great way from Christchurch. Right and later, was the traveler to see the high tower of Christchurch Priory gleaming in the mellow evening light, and gladder still when, rounding a corner, he caught sight of the king at three-score years, and my Lord Chandos, at three-score and ten, were blithe and ready to lay lances in rest for England's cause, it would be fit to see my poor lord again. It would be better shame to me, and also to you, since my fame is yours, that I should now hold back a man's work to be done. Besides, bethink me how long I have been here, and I have received ever croaking of empty fields and wasting lands. Were it not for this constableship which the Earl of Shropshire hath bestowed upon us we could not afford to let it go. It is fitting to our degree. Therefore, as sweeting there is the need that I should turn to where there is good pay to be earned and brave ransoms to be won, and not the spur."

"For the love of my heart's dove, it is fit like that there may be no wage, and we must await the news. But here are three strangers, and one, as I take it, a soldier fresh from service. It is likely that he may give us word of what is stirring over the water."

Lady Loring, glancing up, saw in the fading light the three companions, the humble bearing of so renowned a knight. "Hast come to stop?" cried the bowman, pausing Alayne all over in his desire. "Shall not get away from us again?"

"I wish no better," said he, with a twinkle in the eyes at this nearly grown-up lad.

"Well said, lad!" cried big John. "We three shall to the wars together, and the devil may fly away with the Abbot of Beaujoulin! But your feet and hoses are all beaumead. Hast been in the water?"

"I have in good sooth," Alayne answered, and then, as they journeyed on their way, he told them the many things that had befallen him.

"But you," said Alayne, "there have been many of you else—where so few, bow and sword and cap—and why so warlike, John?"

"It is a game which friend Ayward hath been a-teaching of me!" "And I found him an overapt pupil!" grumbled the boy, who had stripped him of his mail. "By my hit you should render them back to me, camado, lest you bring discredit upon my master, and I will pay you for them at armorer's prices."

"Take them back, man, and never heed me," said John. "I did but teach the lern the feel of them, since I am like to have such trinkets hung to my own girdle for some years to come."

"Ma foi, he was born a fine companion, friend Ayward. He hath the natural trick of speech and turn of thought. I take them back then, and indeed it gives me unease not to do so, my yew-stave tapping against my leg, that it chanced on this very evening that Sir Nigel Loring, having supped before us, as was his custom, had taken his dogs for an evening breather. Two hussel-clad varlets, with loud halloo and crackling whips, waited behind, amid the swarms, guiding, controlling, and urging him. When came Sir Nigel Loring with Lady Loring upon his arm, the pair walking slowly and sedately, as befitted both their age and their condition. They paused at the bridge.

Nigel was a slight man of poor stature, with soft hisping voice and gentle ways. So short was he that his wife, who was no very tall woman, had the better of him by the breadth of three fingers. His sight having been impaired in his early wars by a basketful of lime which had been emptied over him when he led the Earl of Derby's stormers up the wall of Bergerac, he had contracted something of a squint, a blinking, peering expression of face. His age was six-and-forty, but the constant practice of arms, together with a cleanly life, had preserved his activity and endurance unimpaired, so that from his looks he seemed to have the slight limbs and swift gait of a boy. His face, however, was tanned of a dull yellow tint, and the little pointed beard which he wore was streaked and shot with grey, with clear-cut curving nose, and eyes which jutted forward from the lids. His dress was simple and spruce. A gold embrodered belt of knighthood encircled his loins, and five roses, each a field of blue, were worked upon the plastron. So stood Sir Nigel Loring upon the bridge of Avon, and talked lightly with his lady.

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"Pardieu!" said Sir Nigel. "If they are like their messenger, they are indeed men of whom a legend may be made. You named your archer?"

"Sam Ayward, sir, of the Hundred of Evesbourne and the Rape of Chichester."

"This giant behind you?"

"He is big John of Hordle, a forest man, who hath now taken service in the Company."

"A proper figure of a man-at-arms," said the little knight. "Why, Ayward, thou art no chicken, yet I have seen some from the coping which hath fallen upon the bridge. Four of my lazy varlets strove this day to carry it hence. I would that you two could put them to shame by bridging it, though I fear that it avails thee, for it is of a grievous weight."

He pointed, as he spoke, to a huge hewn block which lay by the roadside, deep sunken from its own weight, in the reddish earth. The archer had laid it, rolling back the leaves of his jerkin, but with no very hopeful countenance, for indeed it was a mighty rock. John, however, put him aside with his left hand. "Let me have a pull at this, little plumper," he said, "that I may be able to bridge it from its bed." Then perchance thou can assist me in the heaving."

Stooping over the huge stone, he grasped it by two projecting edges, straightened his giant frame, and gripped the effort, the stone for the minute stuck fast; then as the mighty muscles of his broad back creaked and groaned for very last of life. Give her a dame, give her time!"

"Well, I know that my father would have given me, not time, but a good stick across my shoulders, to make him, like the knight, stand upright, the world seeming to him, as it did to the young swain who flout their elders. I wonder that you do not correct my fair lord?"

"Nay, my heart's comfort, I never mean to be a passing strange thing! If I began on my own flesh and blood. But I



drew up, with eyes ablaze with fear and hatred, while the knight sat pale above the knight to smile him to the earth. He, however, blinking with pucker'd eyes, reached up his kerchief, and flicked the beast twice across the snout with it. "Ah, saucy! saucy!" quoth he, with gentle chiding; on which the bearward and a crowd of peasants who had been in close pursuit. As they passed through the castle gate, John plucked at Ayward's sleeve, and the two fell behind.

"I must crave your pardon, comrade," said he bluntly. "I was a fool not to know that a little rooster may be the gamest. I believe that this man is indeed the knight whom we may follow."

## CHAPTER VIII.

Black was the mouth of Twynham Castle, though a drawbridge, broken at the further end of the gateway, cast a red glare over the outer bailey, and sent a dim ruddy flicker through the rough-hewn arch, rising and tailing with fitful brightness on the shields which bore the heraldry of the constable. As they passed over the drawbridge, Alayne marked the gleam of arms in the embrasures to right and left, and they had scarce set foot upon the causeway ere Ayward burst from a bugle, and with a wrench of the hinge and clank of chain, the ponderous bridge swung up into the air, drawn by unseen hands. At the same time the huge portcullis came rattling down upon the shore, and then the last fading light of day.

Sir Nigel and his lady walked on in deep talk, while a fat under-steward took charge of the three comrades and led them to the barony, where bread, ale, and drink were kept in readiness for the wayfarer. After a hearty meal and a dip in the trough to wash the dust from them, they strolled forth into the bailey, where a bowman peered through the darkness, and called out to keep, with the carpings eyes of one who has seen something of sieges, and is not lightly to be satisfied. To Alayne and to John, however, it appeared to be the barony of a jolly archer and a lusty man-at-arms to choose from.

"Is there an archer here high Sam Ayward?" asked a gaunt man-at-arms, clanking up to them across the courtyard.

"My name, friend!" quoth the bowman.

"Then sure I have no need to tell thee mine," said the other. "Black Simon of Norwich, I cry Ayward, a man coeur, a comrade, a man coeur! Ah, but I am blith to see thee!" the two fell upon each other and hugged like bears.

"And where, old blood and bone, is thy master?" quoth the bowman.

"Young man," quoth Sir Nigel sternly, "if you are of the same way of thought as your brother, you may not pass portcullis of mine."

"Nay, nay," cried Ayward hastily, "I will bring you forth, for it that they have no thought in common: for this very day his brother hath set his dogs upon him, and driven him from his lands."

"And are you, too, of the White Company?" asked Sir Nigel. "Hast had small experience of war, if I may judge by looks and bearing."

"That need not hinder," quoth Sir Nigel. "It is well to have a learned man in every household. By St. Paul, there are men so callit that they think more of a scrivener's pen than of their lady's smile, and do their devot in hopes that they may fill a line in a chronicle or like a tail in a longbow's romance. I remember well that in the stege of Retters there was a little, sleek fat clerk of the name of Chancer, who was so apt at rondel, sirvente, or rime, that no man durst give back a foot from the walls west and east, nor sit down in his rhymes and sung by every underling and varlet in the camp. But, my soul's bird, you hear me prate, though all we're decided whether we have yet taken counsel with you or with my lady mother. Let us to the chamber, while these strangers find such fare as pantry and cellar may furnish."

The three comrades dropped behind and followed: Ayward much the lighter for having accomplished his mission, Alayne full of wonderment at the humble bearing of so renowned a knight.

"It is like enough, mon gar, as things go."

"Now may the Lord be praised!" cried the other. "This very night will I set apart a golden cup to be offered on a silver plate in my man-at-arms. I have pinned for this Ayward, as a young maid pines for her lover."

"Art so set on plunder, then? Is the purse so light that there is not enough for a rouse? I have a bag at my belt, comrade, and you have but to pin me down in it if you want it."

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"Nay, friend, it is not the Frenchman's gold, but the Frenchman's blood that I would have. I should not rest

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"Surely you will not, too, when you know that it is not so?"

"Oh, I weary of your preaching!" she cried, and swept away with a toss of her head. "I am leaving Alayne as cast down and ashamed as though he had himself proposed some infamous thing. She was back again in an instant, however, in another of her varying moods.

"I look at that, my friend!" said she.

"Not answer! But he will have an answer! Now, but you must not fall me, or I will go in with me!"

"But, lady," cried poor Alayne, in great distress, "how can I say that it was to the south of the road when I know well that it was four miles to the north?"

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On entering the room the clerk looked round, but seeing no one, he closed the door, examining with the greatest interest a chamber which was so different to any to which he was accustomed.

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## TO BREED RESISTANT PLANTS.

Crops, Proof Against Insects or Disease Can Be Grown by the Farmer.

GUY ELLIOTT MITCHELL.

The farmer's too greatest foes are insects and plant diseases. He can, by a proper rotation of crops and fertilization, convert a poor into a rich soil, and he can stimulate plant growth by plenty of fertilization. By the same process he can keep down the weeds which rob his crops of nourishment and moisture. He can, to a great extent, overcome, with but little trouble, all the various smaller hindrances to crop growing—all but the bugs and the blight. These twain are hard to handle. None is so arrogant as to profess indifferent to their attacks. Not many years ago they were expected, not the less dreaded, especially the blights and the rots and the mildews; they were the natural visitations of providence. There was no use trying to combat them. If they came, they came. The farmer prayed that they might not come that year. Now, science has shown us that they can, in most cases, be overcome. If not overcome, they can be prevented. Yet the process is often fraught with great trouble and expense to the farmer.

Now suppose a man could develop a strain of plants so hardy that blights and rust would pass them by in disgust and so bitter and unsavory for a bug that the *hymenoptera*, the *coleoptera* and the other "toughs" of the insect trust would pass by and prefer to eat oak and hickory leaves? It would be a cinch for that man, would it not? He could sit in the shade and hire myrmidons to do his work, directing those close at hand in person and those at a distance by telephone. Such a condition may be possible. The man who gets in first would be the one to sit in the shade and reap the advantage. Eventually we would all get on to the scheme, and unless the population of the world increased with accelerated rapidity, there would be an over-production of food products and prices would eventually get back to their present level, so that we would all have to work again.

The Department of Agriculture and some of the experiment stations have been working along this line of selecting resistant plants with the idea of at least giving the enterprising American farmer a good big start.

In the aggregate enormous crop losses—millions and millions—are caused by the attacks of insects and plant diseases. In dry weather insects are particularly abundant, and in wet weather plant diseases flour-

a very useful purpose in turning the thought of scientific and practical men as well, in the direction of the development of disease-resistant varieties with results which promise to prove of great practical utility.

### POTATOES.

During recent years the disease resistance of potatoes especially has received attention by several of the agricultural experiment stations in the United States, notably those of Maine, Minnesota, and Vermont. A recent bulletin of the Bureau of Plant Industry of the Department of Agriculture, prepared by L. R. Jones, of the Vermont Station, summarizes and discusses this work, and that along similar lines abroad, as well as the experience of practical growers. Summarizing the results, Professor Jones draws the following tentative conclusion:

Disease resistance in potatoes is relative, not absolute, no variety known being wholly proof against late blight and rot. It seems related to general vegetative vigor, and is, therefore, in a measure dependent upon cultural and developmental conditions tends to decrease with the age of the variety. It can be restored by originating new varieties from seed, especially of hybrid origin. Not all seedlings show superior disease resistance.

Early varieties may escape the disease by maturing before it becomes epidemic, but when similarly exposed they are, as a class, less resistant than late varieties.

The source of seed tubers is a matter of importance, northern-grown seed giving plants the superior disease resistance in Europe. Seed from a crop that was not too highly fertilized is probably preferable. Possibly tubers are better for seed purposes if dug before they reach full maturity. High fertilization, especially with nitrogenous manures, lowers the power of the plant to resist both blight and rot.

So far as skin characteristics are an index, the red varieties with thick and rough skin seem more resistant as a class than the thin-skinned white varieties. So far as stem and foliage characters are concerned, the evidence favors the stem that is hard, rough, and rather woody at the base, and the leaf that is small, somewhat rough, and dark colored.

In America trials as to disease resistance have been conducted at some of the experiment stations, notably in

smooth, fleshy leaves and decumbent stems.

The evidence at hand seems to justify the hope that the combined efforts of potato specialists working from both the practical and the scientific standpoints may soon result in the development of varieties of potatoes combining general excellence with a high degree of disease resistance.

### CANTALOUPES.

A recent bulletin of the Colorado Station reports the discovery by a local grower of a rust-resisting cantaloupe which promises to be of immense value to the Rockyford cantaloupe industry. In this case seed of the Rockyford variety was purchased from five different seedsmen. They were planted and cultivated under similar conditions. When rust attacked the field just before the melons began to ripen, it developed rapidly and soon destroyed all the vines except those

of the new variety.

The woman who enjoys the cool breezes of her own veranda rather than the uncertain comforts of some other may utilize many a summer morning in fashioning pretty blouses of thin material and dainty little coats of lace or lingerie fabrics. It is the detail which makes up the fashionable wardrobe, and any woman who is clever with her fingers may make these small garments or accessories without a great deal of expense, and satisfy

the desire for becomingness and style.

Summer gowns are real summer gowns this year, and Mistress Fashion seems to be more in Harmony with comfort than for some years past. Waists may be elaborately inset with lace or embroidered, but they are simply made with lace collars or low, round or Dutch square necks. Everyone is wearing elbow sleeves except those with scrawny arms, and for them there are sheer undersleeves which conceal any number of ugly limbs. Guimpe, too, are popular feature this year, and may be purchased reasonably in all manner of pretty styles or be made at home. Some of the daintiest effects are realized in the combination of Valentines and swiss or lawn.

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In tracing back the history of this strain of seed it was found that some years before a seedman had saved the first lot from a single healthy melon taken from a field of rusted vines. It had therefore been developed by the simple process of saving seed from the best melons produced by plants which withstood attacks of rust when surrounding plants were destroyed by this disease. What was thus accomplished by one farmer with one crop can probably be accomplished by other farmers with the same or with other crops, if they will be alert, while the crops are growing, to select and mark individual plants which show exceptional merit along the lines of prolific yield, early maturity, resistance to disease, or other desirable quality, and save seed separately from the plant showing such qualities. Marked variations which may be profitably utilized in this way are constantly occurring and are plainly evident on all farms.

The point to be emphasized is that improvements in farm crop varieties nearly always trace back to individual plants. No one is in better position to notice these exceptional plants than the farmer. He is in his fields, garden, or orchard, every day, where these exceptional plants are produced. If one plant in a rust-infected wheat field stands up green and free from the disease, that is a plant to save seed from as the basis of a rust-resistant strain. If one hill of potatoes in a blighted field remains unaffected by disease, seed from that hill may produce a blight-resistant variety.

Among those which have been widely tested, the following deserve mention as of the resistant class: Dakota Red, Rustproof, Irish, Cobbler, Sir White Raleigh, Doe Pride, and White Beauty.

In tests made at the Vermont station in 1905 the following varieties

slip has a deep yoke of Dutchess lace inset with Valentines. The skirt is frothy with frills and tucks of the self material and inset and cross-strapped with Valentines. The belt is of pale pink chiffon ribbon. Small capes are again looked upon with favor, especially the little mantles which go with three-piece suits or those of lace or lingerie fabric which grace thin summer frocks. The return of these is probably due to the return of the small bolero which has appeared in all manner of shapes and styles, the sleeves of which often resemble cape-like affairs.

The long gloves which are worn with short sleeves are held up in a novel way by wristlets of elastic covered with shirred ribbon and finished at the top with a buckle or tiny rosette of ribbon. These are worn just below the elbow or above wherever the glove is supposed to end. They hold the glove in place admirably and are a pretty addition to the toilette. The favorite color for these bracelets is black, but any color of glove is matched in these tiny accessories.

The population of the British empire is 400,000,000 and the area 11,000,374 square miles.

The greatest iron producing state in the South is Alabama. Virginia comes second, Tennessee third, Maryland fourth and West Virginia fifth.

The amount of property destroyed by fire in the United States in the last forty years is incalculable. More than one million buildings have been burned in the last ten years.

The gold money of the world is \$4.61 for each inhabitant and the gold money in the United States is \$16.33 for each inhabitant.

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### STYLES FOR WARM WEATHER.

Fashions for Heated Term are in Harmony.

By BERTHA BROWNING.

The summer fashions have become quite as settled as they are apt to during the season, and those wardrobes which are just preparing have the advantage of being exactly what is desired rather than an uncertain forecast. The woman who enjoys the cool breezes of her own veranda rather than the uncertain comforts of some other may utilize many a summer morning in fashioning pretty blouses of thin material and dainty little coats of lace or lingerie fabrics. It is the detail which makes up the fashionable wardrobe, and any woman who is clever with her fingers may make these small garments or accessories without a great deal of expense, and satisfy

the desire for becomingness and style.

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# AN EPOCH MAKING SESSION

How the Fifty-ninth Congress Has Met the New Issues Initiated by President Roosevelt, With Extension of Federal Powers as the Dominant Note.

By EDWIN S. POTTER

PROBABLY more new and extraordinary questions have been under consideration by the congress which began its legislative life Dec. 4 last than by any previous session of our national lawmaking body. Not counting the many acts favorably reported to or passed by either branch and left in a state of suspended animation, their fate to be determined by the next session, the amount and character of new laws enacted make the Fifty-ninth congress the milestone of a new era in the history of American institutions.

The day of the nation has come; state and local powers are on the wane or in small favor. Commercial and industrial concentration having brought about new opportunities for abuse of privilege, and the muck rakers having waked up the public mind to the various existing evils, President Roosevelt found in this congress workable soil for the growth of federal powers in dealing with those evils. The impress of the president's mind was given to all the more important remedies adopted. Neither friend nor foe in the political arena will question the statement that the work of the session bears the Rooseveltian stamp, although the Democrats all along have pointed out that the president was merely camping along the trail blazed by their party platforms. Nevertheless the president's party, being in the majority at both ends of the capitol, has either taken the credit or been forced to assume responsibility for what was done, even when aided by Democratic votes.

#### Railroad Rate Regulation.

The keynote was struck unmistakably in the message which congress received at the opening of the session—namely, the insistence on federal fixing of interstate railroad rates as well as the prevention of rebates or any kind of special favors. Rate bills of various kinds and descriptions were promptly introduced in both senate and house; but, the house majority being under better discipline, the bill was more promptly formulated there, which was approved at the White House. It was fathered by Representative Hepburn of Iowa as chairman of the committee on interstate commerce. It was so modified in the committee as to come before the house without Democratic opposition, and after a few days of perfunctory discussion it was passed on Feb. 8 by the almost unanimous vote of 346 to 7, the seven opponents all being Republicans. As passed it gave the interstate commerce commission full power to regulate interstate freight tariffs without express recognition of the rights of appeal in the court. This, however, was only the foundation of the law that was to go to the statute book.

In the senate the Hepburn bill was destined to run the gauntlet of fierce opposition from a conservative faction of the Republicans led by Aldrich and Foraker and become the football of personal and party bickerings over a period of three months. The main point of the dispute was the question of a broad or narrow court review provision, and at one time, after the president's political and personal enemy, Tillman, had been placed in charge of the measure, there was a tacit coalition between the president and the minority.

Later, however, the president accepted the compromise Allison amendment, upon which his party associates had agreed, vesting jurisdiction in the circuit courts to enjoin, set aside, annul or suspend any order of the commission on appeal of the carrier concerned. It was at this time that the Democratic leaders charged the president with bad faith on the strength of representations said to have been made through ex-Senator Chandler. Finally the bill, with sixty-seven amendments, passed the senate May 18 by a vote of 71 to 3. Still further changes were made in conference thereafter. The senate conferees held out against the house proposal to drop the clause placing pipe lines under federal control. As this was finally agreed to by senate and house, the pipe lines are to be regarded as common carriers, but are not prohibited from carrying their own products. Railroad and railway mail employees are exempted from the anti-pass amendment. The president signed the bill June 29.

#### Investigations and Inspections.

In both branches bills were introduced early authorizing investigations of the railroad monopolies, and a combination of these known as the Tillman-Gillespie-Campbell measure passed the house Jan. 23 and, though signed by the president, was sharply criticised by him for not carrying funds and due authority. The money was appropriated later, and under this authority the interstate commerce commission has already unearthed a vast amount of graft and crookedness in railroad and oil industries.

The pure food bill, which passed the senate Feb. 21, 63 to 4, was also in line with this federalizing tendency. It did not pass the house until June 23, 24 to 17, and then with a number of amendments which endangered its final passage. In its final shape the provision affecting state rights or state and municipal control over the original package was cut out. As to blended

To reorganize our army medical corps.

#### Important Bills That Failed.

The Philippine tariff bill, which was one of the pet administration measures and which was forced through the house by making a concession of 25 percent of the Dingley rates on sugar, tobacco and rice, by the vote of 258 to 72 as early as Jan. 16 was put to sleep effectively in the senate committee on the Philippines through a combination of Democrats and stand pat Republican senators. The committee voted 8 to 5 against reporting this cherished administration measure, and the efforts to bring about a reconsideration proved futile.

The senate on June 5 tabled the proposed constitutional amendment permitting a federal divorce law.

The house defeated by a large majority the Adams bill authorizing whipping posts for wife beaters in the District of Columbia.

The senate on Feb. 14 voted 38 to 27 in favor of the ship subsidy bill establishing thirteen new contract mail lines to Central American, South African, Australian and Pacific island ports at the rate of \$5 per ton a year for the foreign trade and \$6.50 per ton for the colonial trade. It includes provision for a naval reserve force by payment of retainers to officers of subsidized vessels. This measure is stranded, however, in the unfriendly house committee on the merchant marine.

A new bill to restrict and regulate immigration, which passed the senate May 23, contained provision for an educational test—namely, the ability to understand the English language—and raised the head tax from \$2 to \$5, while creating a commission to investigate the entire subject. When, however, the house passed this bill June 26 the educational test and the head tax were stricken out and, the senate refusing to agree, the bill died in conference.

Throughout the session the senate committee on foreign relations resolutely resisted the administration's influence to report favorably the Santo Domingo treaty.

Other administration measures which fared badly in one house or the other were:

For federal control of life insurance companies.

Specific laws for prevention of election corruption.

Uncle Sam's Big Expense Account.

Just before the close of the session it became apparent that the total of appropriations to carry on the government for the next fiscal year would be somewhere in the neighborhood of \$900,000,000. At this writing the exact figures have not been officially reported. It is customary for each party to insert in the record a week or two after the end of the session a statement of the appropriations and its own explanation thereof. This total recalls the outcry that was made only fifteen years ago, when the Fifty-first congress, under Reed's speakership, appropriated a little over \$1,000,000,000 in the two years of its existence. Replying to the criticism that it was a "billion dollar congress," Reed said, "It is a billion dollar country." Even the Fifty-fifth congress, which covered much of the Spanish war expenses, spent only \$1,553,000,000 in its two years; hence, at the pace set by this first session, the Fifty-ninth congress is certain to outstrip all its predecessors in the matter of public expenditures. To the criticism of the minority the dominant party replies that the country has grown in all directions. As a matter of fact, the numerous investigations and federal inspections provided for have added largely to the cost of government.

The approximate amounts carried by the different appropriation bills and some extraordinary appropriations were as follows:

Permanent annual	\$141,471,820
Postoffice	191,056,928
Pensions	140,235,500
Navy	102,071,656
Army	71,817,165
Fortifications	5,653,928
Military academy	1,633,116
Sundry civil	102,300,000
Legislative, executive and judicial	23,740,000
District of Columbia	10,181,208
Urgent deficiency	15,000,000
General deficiency	11,645,000
Agricultural	2,800,000
Indian	10,233,400
Diplomatic and consular	2,089,594
Public buildings	23,000,000
Extra appropriation for isthmian canal	11,000,000
San Francisco earthquake	2,600,000

Senate's Action on Treaties.

After having refused to ratify the Santo Domingo treaty, for which the administration had done its utmost, the senate agreed just before adjournment that the Moroccan treaty should come to a vote not later than Dec. 12 next before it would die by limitation. The Japanese copyright treaty was ratified Feb. 28 and the trademark treaty with Roumania May 4.

Labor interests, though angered at the failure of the eight hour bill to even come to a vote, were pleased somewhat by the passage of the employers' liability act making interstate carriers liable for injuries to employees in the absence of prescribed safety appliances and regulations.

Other measures of general interest which passed both houses were:

Authorizing the return of unidentified Confederate flags.

Abolishing the grade of lieutenant general.

Adding \$5,000 to each state's quota for agricultural experiment stations.

Prohibition of gambling in the territories.

Provision for marking Confederate graves in the north.

Extending the time of tribal relations for the five civilized tribes.

Changing coin and bullion reserves to \$50,000,000 and \$100,000,000.

Providing for the selection of a delegate from Alaska.

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Light shipping steers	4.50-4.75
Choice butcher steers	4.25-4.65
Common to medium	3.25-3.75
Choice butcher heifers	4.00-4.25
Fair to good	3.25-3.75
Common to medium	2.50-3.00
Choice butcher cows	3.50-4.00
Common to medium	2.00-2.50
Good to extra stock steers	3.50-4.00
Good to extra bulls	2.75-3.25
Choice veal calves	5.50-6.00
Common to medium	4.00-5.00
Coarse heavy	3.00-4.00
Choice milk cows	3.50-4.00
Medium to good	2.00-3.00
Plain common	1.00-1.75

### HOGS.

Choice pack. & butchers	6.00-6.40
Medium packers	6.00-6.40
Light shippers	5.75-6.45
Choice pigs	5.80-6.10
Light pigs	5.00-5.40
Roughs	4.50-5.75

### SHEEP AND LAMBS.

Good to choice fat sheep	5.00-5.50
Fair to good	3.50-4.00
Common sheep	2.50-3.00
Bucks	2.50-4.00
Choice shipping lambs	6.50-7.75
Seconds	5.75-6.50
Good butcher	6.00-6.50
Cull and tail-ends	5.00-6.00
Choice native stock ewes	4.40-4.75
Good plain ewes	3.75-4.25

### GRAIN.

#### WHEAT.

No. 2 red and longberry \$0.89

No. 3 red and longberry .87

#### CORN.

No. 2 white 55½

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#### OATS.

No. 3 white(new) 38

No. 2 mixed (new) 37½

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Eggs—12-13¢ each case count; handled 14¢.

### MEEKSVILLE.

(Last Week's Letter.)

The crops are looking fine.

Raymond Fox left Monday for Kansas.

Fay Black and wife visited near Cookseyville last Saturday and Sunday.

Quite a crowd from here attended the ice cream supper at Frances Saturday night.

Ed. Perkins attended church at Seven Springs Sunday evening.

Mose L. Patton and wife and little son Collin attended church at Emmaus Saturday.

Hatcher Beck, who has been sick, is improving.

There was a large crowd at the singing at Jim Matthews' Monday night.

### Saved His Comrade's Life.

"While returning from the Grand Army Encampment at Washington City, a comrade from Elgin, Ill., was taken with cholera morbus and was in a critical condition," says Mr. J. E. Houghland, of Eldon, Iowa. "I gave him Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy and believe saved his life. I have been engaged for ten years in immigration work and conducted many parties to the south and west. I always carry this remedy and have used it successfully on many occasions."

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## Clean Up Prices!

Mr. Hay, the Democratic Attorney General of the State of Kentucky, has announced himself a candidate for Governor of this state on what would seem to be a purly Republican platform, judging from his public utterances. Of course Mr. Hay has a perfect right to run for Governor on any platform he may elect, but it does seem that a proper regard for decency would have impelled him to come out from among his official associates before proceeding to lambast them with his big stick.

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THURSDAY, JULY 12, 1906

Hon. Charles A. Towne of New York, is spoken of as a running mate with W. J. Bryan two years hence. It is stated that Mr. Bryan favors the nomination.

Traveling in the interior of California is not without its excitement. One day last week five stage coaches were held up in the Yosemite Valley by a lone highwayman who relieved them of all their valuables.

The people of Ohio are evidently determined to punish the Trusts that conspire to restrain trade within the borders of their commonwealth. In consequence five ice dealers who combined to raise the price of ice, and who are described as all prominent in business and social circles have been fined \$5000 each and to serve one year in the workhouse. The Democratic leaven is certainly working.

Our good friend Dudley Wallingford certainly has pluck. A few years ago his large livery stable on Belville street was burned. Shortly afterward he rebuilt it with one completely sheathed with sheet iron. He had hardly got settled down in this before the big fire came and wiped it out of existence. He is now engaged in rebuilding the structure of brick, and says this is the last time. The building will cover about half a square and will have room enough for a regiment of cavalry horses. It will also cover a very unsightly vacant spot in the city.

And it came to pass after he had advertised his goods there came unto him great multitudes from all the regions round about and did buy of him, and when his competitors saw it they marveled among themselves, saying, "Howbeit that this man is busy while we loaf idly about our doors?" And he bespake unto them, saying, "Marvel not, for I say unto you that in this fast age of push and rustle it is easier for a camel to enter the eye of a needle than for a man in business in Marion or vicinity to flourish in business without advertising in the PRESS."

The Levias bunch of ball tossers met the Hampton bunch of Spalding twisters at Hampton last Wednesday, July 4, and defeated them by the score of 22 to 17. Pitcher Franks for Levias received a painful injury on his throwing hand early in the game.

Last Saturday at Sheridan the Levias second team of ball tossers met and defeated the strong Sheridan team by a score of 22 to 20.

Next Saturday a double header will be played at Levias between Sheridan first team and Levias second team in the morning and in the afternoon the Hampton bunch will try to even up matters with Levias seniors for the defeat of July 4.

### Millionaire Leper.

El Paso, Tex., July 10.—Traveling in a special train because his disease prohibits him from securing accommodations with other passengers, Mr. Bringas, a Mexican passed through today enroute to Europe to be treated for leprosy.

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### Oakley-Jacobs.

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Miss Jacobs is a daughter of Mr. J. A. Jacobs of the city, and a sister of Rev. B. F. Jacobs, and has many relatives and friends who will be glad to hear of her good fortune.

The groom is a son of Rev. W. T. Oakley and a grandson of W. J. Hill, and is a young man of splendid character. He is now engaged in the feed and grain business at this place.

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MARION, KENTUCKY.

### LETTER FROM MAINE

Fairfield, Maine, July 4.—Editor Press: Please let me say just a few words to your many readers. I am here in this Northeastern country in a great camp-meeting. Fifty-six saved to date and the meeting just half gone. We are in the extreme east corner, just one mile from Canada; we are going over into Canada one day this week. I want to sing one song in the old Province. I never felt better in my life, wear my overcoat every day. This is a very country, the people are well to do, their word it as good as their bond, and when a man professes religion he rarely ever backsides. They are true solid people. The land is very fertile. The main crop is Irish potatoes; I haven't seen a field nor a patch of corn, but hundreds and thousands of acres of potatoes, grass and oats. They have fine horses and keep them fat and fine on hay and oats. I have not seen a ear of corn here; they plant potatoes with machinery, hoe and dig them the same way, and let them dry two or three days and put them in potato houses made in the ground. They make from 250 to 300 bushels per acre. I never saw such potatoes. One would think they grow enough in Aroostook county to supply the United States.

Well we certainly had a nice trip coming a distance of 2350 miles from Marion, Ky., according to railroad mileage. We spent one day in Washington, D. C. We gave a negro \$3 to take his horse and surrey and haul us around four hours. We went to many places of note. I believe the thing I enjoyed most was when we got on the elevator and went to the top of Washington's monument—500 feet high. Then we sit and rested in the east room in the White House where Miss Alice Roosevelt was married. Saw them make money by the wagon loads and haul it off with the guards following them. Saw the skeleton of a whale 75 feet long. Saw hundreds of cannons at the navy yards 50 feet long. Many things to numerous to mention. We spent one day in Boston; had a nice time; among other things we rented some bathing suits and took a good bath in the Atlantic salt water. This has been the best trip of my life; there is so much beautiful scenery along the way. We came through West Virginia, a part of Virginia, Delaware, Pennsylvania, New York, Connecticut, New Jersey, New Hampshire, and then clean through the state of Maine. We are going back by the way of Niagara Falls. My next engagement is in southern Louisiana.

I was at Pensacola, Fla., in April on the Gulf, now I am on the Atlantic, and my next visit will take me back to the Gulf. The Lord and the people are good to me for which I am very thankful. Fraternally,

W. B. YATES.

### Old Folks Day.

The Old Folks' Day at Mt. Zion July 1, 1906, was a day of great joy and comfort to many hearts.

Bro. Love read a part of the 71st Psalm. W. J. Hill made the first prayer, a song was sung and Bro. Lewis Terry prayed.

Bro. Love asked me to conduct experience meeting, and with the song fresh in his mind he sang, "Come let us anew our journey pursue." As these old songs went out on the breeze shouts went up to God in praise for His goodness to us all.

Quite a while was spent in an old fashioned talking meeting, and as the old people told of their christian travels through life, we praised God and were glad to see them climbing the hill to victory, from 30 to 60 years in this warfare, and saying to us young ones, "Come on, for our work will soon be done, then we will strike home with the loved ones on the other shore. Then the shouts would go up to God and we would sing, "I'm a child of a King," as the old, the middle aged and young would talk God's blessings would fall on the people in rich abundance, and oh, what a refreshing time we would have.

We closed the morning service with a general hand-shaking. My how the good people did sing and shout; it was a heaven on earth; and when we got to the place we could, we dismissed for dinner.

And what a dinner we had! We spent an hour and a half in social conversation and in eating the good things God had given us.

Then we came together for the afternoon service. Bro. Love read the second chapter of Titus and Brother Bennett led in prayer. This was followed by a song service, which was refreshing to our souls.

The water supply not being sufficient for the hundreds who were present a collection was taken for a cistern, and we hope by the next Old Folks day at Zion we will have plenty of good water.

W. J. HILL.

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### IN BANKRUPTCY.

In the District Court of the United States, for the Western District of Kentucky.

HOPKINSVILLE, KY., July 3, 1906.—Notice of first meeting of creditors in the matter of Thomas H. Reynolds, bankrupt; in bankruptcy.

To the creditors of Thomas H. Reynolds, of Dyersburg, in the county of Crittenden, and district aforesaid, a bankrupt:

Notice is hereby given that on the 27th day of June, A. D. 1906, the said McReynolds was adjudged a bankrupt and that the first meeting of his creditors will be held at the office of the county clerk, in Marion, Ky., on the 17th day of July, A. D. 1906, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, at which time the said creditors may attend, prove their claims, appoint a trustee, examine the bankrupt, and transact such other business as may come before the meeting.

J. L. LANDIS, Referee in Bankruptcy.

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Robt. Boyd, of Salem, was in the city Saturday.

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Rev. F. L. Atwood, of Sikeston, Mo., was in the city Friday.

20 All Steel hay rakes at \$13.50. Cochran & Pickens.

John Lowry, of Fredonia valley, was in the city Saturday.

S. A. Newcom, of Weston, was a pleasant caller at the Press office Monday.

Mrs. W. C. Ledbetter, of Uniontown is the guest of R. D. Drescher and family.

Mrs. Gus Baker, of Princeton, was the guest last week of Mr. and Mrs. Gus Taylor.

Mrs. Albert Crider left Thursday afternoon for Evansville to visit friends for a few days.

The little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Johnson, of the Crooked Creek section, has been quite sick.

Mrs. John H. Nimmo, who has been quite sick for several days is able to be up and at work again.

J. M. Persons has returned to this district and will engage in buying and selling mining properties as before.

Mrs. John Drescher, of Louisville, is visiting her son, R. D. Drescher, and her grandson, John Marshall Drescher.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Love and children, of Sheridan, were in the city Friday, the guests of Mrs. Maggie Moore.

C. M. Simpson who has been visiting at Dawson Springs is much benefited and will remain there another week or two.

Miss Rosa Schwab, a former Marion girl has a fine position with the Sondeahener Lumber Co., at Memphis, Tenn.

Mrs. Edward Drescher and little son of St. Louis, Mo., are the guests of R. D. Drescher and family on West Salem street.

Misses Anne Dean and Eula Thurman are spending the week at the farm with Miss Annie's parents, J. E. Dean and wife.

Rev. W. R. Gibbs, of Sheridan, passed through the city Friday enroute to White Sulphur, where he preached Sunday.

Rev. J. O. Smithson and son, Austin, of Carrsville, passed through the city Thursday enroute to their Livingston county home.

Prof. M. C. Wright in digging a cellar at his home in Carrsville, discovered a fine vein of gravel spar in four feet of the surface.

Mrs. Velma Moore Murphy and two children, of Sherman, Texas, are spending the summer with Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Carter at Marion.

Miss Alice Griffith who has been in San Luis Potosi, Mexico for some time is expected to arrive Monday.

Miss Melville Akin, of Princeton, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Gus Taylor last week.

Wm. Miller, wife and child, of Louisville, are guests at the Crittenton Spring Hotel this month.

Rev. J. O. McChesney and wife returned Thursday from a visit to their daughter, Mrs. W. T. Cox, of Kentucky.

Miss Melville Akin and Mrs. Gus Taylor, of Princeton, who had been guests of relatives here returned Monday.

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## SUNDAY SCHOOL TEACHERS' TRAINING CLASS

—By—  
REV. J. F. PRICE

### LESSON XXXVIII.

We have two Sunday School lessons in this week's readings: Sept. 16, Christ silences the Pharisees and Sadducees, Mk. 12:13-27; Oct. 7, The two great commandments, Mk. 12:28-34, 38-44.

### DAILY MANNA.

Sunday, July 15, Parable—Marriage of the king's son, Mt. 22:1-14.  
Monday, July 16, Three questions to entangle Christ, Mt. 22:15-40; Mk. 12:13-34; Lk. 20:20-40.

Tuesday, July 17, The Lord's question about Christ, Mt. 22:41-46; Mk. 12:35-37; Lk. 20:41-44.

Wednesday, July 18, Woes against the Pharisees, Mt. 23:1-39; Mk. 12:38-40; Lk. 20:45-47.

Thursday, July 19, The widow's offering, Mk. 12:41-44; Lk. 21:1-4.

Friday, July 20, The Greeks desire to see Jesus, Jno. 12:20-36.

Saturday, July 21, Unbelief of the Jews, Jno. 12:37-43.

### HELPS TO STUDY.

The parable of the marriage feast. V. 3, "to call them that were bidden." It is customary among the Orientals to send out two invitations. For those who have accepted the first to decline the second is tantamount to a declaration of war or blood-feud. This custom is very ancient and explains the anger of the kin. (v. 7) Declining the second invitation was evidence of treason. The application of this parable is plain: the generosity of God cannot, with safety, be treated contemptuously. Though men are to enter the kingdom from the least likely classes, it itself is not to lose anything of the honor due it.

Under ordinary circumstances the Herodian family were cordially hated by the Pharisees. The union of the two groups in opposition to Jesus shows how dangerous his influence was judged by them to be. They tried to catch him in talk; that is, to force from him some treasonable, blasphemous, or foolish answer, which would give them an excuse for arresting him. Lk. 20:20 enlarges upon the method of their procedure. V. 15. To appreciate the full force of this question as to the tribute it is necessary to remember that Jesus was now in Judea, which, unlike Galilee, was subject and paid taxes directly to Rome. The penny was the Roman denarius. Many have been preserved. They have the head and name of the emperor stamped upon them.

V. 25, "are as angels;" that is, do not live an earthly, flesh and blood life. The summary of the laws, vs. 29-31, cannot be improved as an epitome of human duty. It was nothing new for it was quoted from Deut. 6:5 and Lev. 19:18. In Mt. 22:40 Jesus adds the teaching that in such "love" is summed up the law and the prophets. It was his new commandment. (Jno. 13:34; 15:11-17.)

The purpose of the question as to "the son of David" is both to break the prestige of the scribes as religious teachers, and to develop by contrast Jesus' own conception of Messiahship as something unpolitical.

"The scribes and Pharisees sit in Moses' seat;" they are the teachers and leaders of the people; however faulty their conduct on them rests the responsibility of guiding this generation. "Neither suffer ye them that are entering;" by throwing their influence as religious teachers against Jesus, they dissuaded men from accepting the truth. Many proselytes were drawn by a true apprehension of the truth of Judaism. Mk. 12:40 equals Mt. 23:14 in the common version. Notice how severely in this verse and in verses 13, 15 Jesus denounces those who, setting themselves up as the especial representatives of religion, were in reality wicked men.

V. 42, "two mites;" a very small amount, scarcely half a cent. She cast in more than they all; Jesus estimate of men and their actions is based on the state of the heart which these actions reflect. The widow's gift, for the reason given in v. 44, represented more devotion of heart to the interests of religion than that of any of the rich that gave much.

John 12:20, "Greeks;" gentiles, yet, as appears from the words "among those that went up to worship at the feast," gentiles who had become worshippers of Jehovah, but probably not circumcised proselytes. Compare the case of Cornelius, Acts 10:1-2. V. 21, "came to Philip," why to him we cannot tell. Philip and Andrew are among the disciples of whom this gospel speaks more than once, perhaps they were associated with John in later years. Jesus shows in succeeding verses that the path to the success of his mission is the path of self-devotion, which is for him the path of death. The two words translated "life" are different words, the first denoting physical existence, with the appetites and passions necessary to the material life, the second denoting the existence of a moral, immortal being according to God's ideal for such existence. He that loves the physical life, and revels in gratifying its appetites, desires and passions, and clings to this lower, sensual life, loses it by failing to make the highest use of it. He that counts it only as instrumental in the development of the higher, is ready to surrender it, really saves it, and through it attains eternal life—fellowship with God, which is in its nature endless. (Jno. 17:3.)

V. 27, "now is my soul troubled;" in view of the thought of the fearful death he was to die. To the last and increasingly Jesus shrank with dread from his death at the hands of his people. "Father, save me from this hour;" a prayer expressing his natural desire not to be put to death by sinful men; not to have shrunk from this, in view of the sin that was involved in it for men, would itself have been sinful. "But for this cause came I to this hour;" dreadful as it is, yet it is duty; and this is the other side of his desire; hence the petition, "Father, glorify thy name."

V. 36, "Jesus departed and hid himself from them;" with these words John marks the close of Jesus' public ministry to the Jews. There remains only his intercourse with his disciples and his oft predicted death and resurrection.

In general the Jews did not believe on him; yet many even of the rulers, did believe but did not dare to profess it. This unbelief was in accordance with the character of the Jewish people, as Isaiah described it long ago (Isa. 6:9,10); compare Stephens' similar characterization of the nation, Acts 7:51,52. But that the evangelist did not mean that they were therefore not responsible for their conduct is clear from vs. 42,43. The central thought of Jno. 12:44-59 is that Jesus came as God's representative, not to judge the world, but to bring light and salvation, and that he who receives him receives the Father that sent him and attains eternal life. This, in fact, is a summary of his whole mission and message.

### TOPICS FOR STUDY.

1 Herodirus. 2 Zealots. 3 Sadducees. 4 Essenes.

### THE TEACHER.

Principles of teaching.—

1 The principle of adaptation.

a Every teacher should have a plan for each lesson.  
b He should adapt the lesson to the grade and capacity of the pupil.  
c He should know enough of his scholars personally to fit the lesson to the spiritual needs of each.  
d The adaptation of the lesson should be in line with its central truth.  
(Questions next week.)

### TOLU.

(Last Week's Letter).  
The rain Sunday was very welcome.

Charles Thomas has returned home after spending a few weeks in Marion attending the normal.

W. Hugh Watson has moved into the Felix Hoover house.

Vernon Malcom, of Blooming Rose was here two days last week.

Mr. John Belt and wife attended meeting at Deer Creek Saturday.

D. W. Stone has been confined to his room with rheumatism for several weeks.

J. A. Wheeler went to Marion on Monday.

A large crowd from here attended the river show at Elizabethtown Saturday night.

Lee Kemper of Carrsville, spent Saturday and Sunday in this city.

Our base ball team crossed bats the Hardesty team Saturday and the result was 8 to 16 in favor of the Hardesty boys.

Miss Jessie Malcom, of near Lola, spent several days in this city last week visiting her sister, Mrs. Wheeler.

Now that our little city is incorporated why not have a graded school? Tolu does not wish to lag in any enterprise, and this step would be one to mark advancing strides more rapidly than anything else. Let's think about this step and then see if some action can not be taken toward creating a graded school.

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Foley's Honey and Tar has cured many cases of asthma that were considered hopeless. Mrs. Adolph Busing, 701 West Third St., Davenport, Iowa, writes: "A severe cold contracted twelve years ago was neglected until it finally grew into asthma. The best medical skill available could not give me more than temporary relief. Foley's Honey and Tar was recommended and one fifty cent bottle entirely cured me of asthma which had been growing on me for twelve years. If I had taken it at the start I would have been saved years of suffering." Woods & Orme,

To find out for a certainty whether or not your heart is affected. One person in four has a weak heart; it may be you. If so, you should know it now, and save serious consequences. If you have short breath, fluttering, palpitation, hungry spells, hot flushes; if you cannot lie on left side; if you have fainting or smothering spells, pain around heart, in side and arms, your heart is weak, and perhaps diseased. Dr. Miles' Heart Cure will relieve you. Try a bottle, and see how quickly your condition will improve.

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Dr. Miles' Heart Cure is sold by your druggist, who will guarantee the first bottle will benefit. If it fails he will refund your money." Miles Medical Co., Elkhart, Ind.

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## ROJESTVENSKY PLEADS GUILTY BEFORE COURT

To Save His Brother Officers---Virtually  
An Appeal for Condemnation  
And Death.

Cronstradt, July 4.—In a manly effort to save the surviving members of his staff, and other officers who he believed surrendered the gunboat Bedova on account of their affection for their wounded commander and their desire to save his life, Admiral Rojestvensky today pleaded guilty before the court martial.

In a short speech to the court the Admiral declared that he took the entire responsibility on his own shoulders, and asked that he alone be punished to the fullest extent of the law, virtually an appeal for condemnation and death, which is the penalty of hauling down St. Andrews cross to a foreign vessel.

All the other defendants, including Captain de Cologne, chief of Rojestvensky's staff, and Capt. Baranoff commander of the Bedova, pleaded not guilty. After he entered his plea the taking of testimony began. Members of the crew of the Bedova will be examined to determine who ordered the surrender, the condition of the vessel and the incidents of the capture.

### Makes The Liver Lively.

Orino Laxative Fruit Syrup gives permanent relief in cases of habitual constipation as it stimulates the liver and restores the natural action of the bowels without irritating these organs like pills or ordinary cathartics. Does not nauseate or gripe and is mild and pleasant to take. Remember the name ORINO and refuse substitutes. Woods & Orme.

### Stop Knocking.

There is no reasonable excuse for a man to live in a town he doesn't like.

If you have no word of commendation to say for your town, its institutions and people, the best thing you can do is to emigrate. The town clock will still strike, the church bells will still ring out their melodies, and our pure air, bright sunshine and sparkling water will have the same health giving qualities.

The flag of the free will wave over the homes of the brave and true on the Fourth, just as for the past 130 years.

Speak a good word for your town and for your neighbor, if you can, and when you can't, don't enlarge on the dark side of things. But if you have become thoroughly disgruntled, take Horace Greeley's advice and "Go West, young man," and maybe you will find a place that suits you. But remember the world's pretty much the same everywhere and there are all kinds of people everywhere. It takes all kinds, you know, to make up the world.

### Bowel Complaint in Children.

During the summer months children are subject to disorders of the bowels which should receive careful attention as soon as the first unnatural looseness of the bowels appears.

The best medicine in use for bowel complaint is Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy as it promptly controls any unnatural looseness of the bowels. For sale by Woods & Orme.

### A Prisoner in His Palace.

London, July 4.—The Japanese, according to the associated press correspondent at Seoul, have virtually made a prisoner of the Emperor of Korea in his own palace, by surrounding the palace with police. They said that the step was necessary because of the constant intrigues of the Emperor.

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## A Hair Dressing

Nearly every one likes a fine hair dressing. Something to make the hair more manageable; to keep it from being too rough, or from splitting at the ends. Something, too, that will feed the hair at the same time, a regular hair-food. Well-fed hair will be strong, and will remain where it belongs—on the head, not on the comb!

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**Ayers** SARSAPARILLA,  
PILLS,  
CHERRY PECTORAL.

### Mr. James for Governor.

(Mayfield Messenger.)

The democratic voters in this end of the state are very anxious that our present popular Congressman, Ollie M. James, should announce himself a candidate for Governor of the State.

He can easily be nominated at the coming primary election, which is to be held on November 6th. After he is nominated he can carry the democratic banner to victory by a rousing majority.

There is not a more popular man in the state today than Congressman James, from the First district.

He occupies a warm place in the hearts of the people because they know he is an honest man and will serve the people as a statesman. It is true he has again been nominated for congress without opposition and may be elected several times hereafter, but since he is in the line of promotion, and the people from all parts of the state are calling for his services in the capacity of Governor, and he should not fail to serve them as such.

Another reason that he should announce for governor is that he lives in a democratic district, one that can and will give him in the regular election of 1907 at least fifteen thousand and majority. Besides, he can harmonize the democrats in many portions of the state as between the contending machines about which so much is being said.

Mr. James is too good a democrat, too wise a statesman, and a man of too fine political judgment, to become a candidate for the office of governor tacked on to the tail of any man, be he a machine or an anti-machine candidate.

We believe now is the time for Mr. James to become a candidate for governor, free from all alliances with other candidates, but as a free man, before a free people. Mr. James we hope will let the people hear from him at once on this important question.

### An Established Institution.

The Bowling Green Business University is an established institution. Write for catalog and particulars. Address Bowling Green Business University.

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### Murder and Suicide.

Higbee, Mo., July 4.—George Wheeler, aged twenty-seven, shot and killed his wife, aged fifteen, and after seriously wounding Mrs. Bathena Surgeon of Kansas City, killed himself.

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## Chamberlain's COLIC, CHOLERA AND Diarrhoea Remedy

Is a reliable, pleasant and safe remedy for bowel complaints both in children and adults. Buy it now; it may save life.

### MAJOR GENERAL WOOD.

*His Rapid Rise in the Army and Brave Record.*  
Major General Leonard Wood, who has been criticised on account of the attack upon the Moros in the battle of Mount Dajo, has had a remarkable career, and his rapid promotion in the army has made for him many enemies. His advancement to the rank of brigadier general in the regular army by President McKinley aroused much criticism, and when President Roosevelt advanced him to the major general's rank the hostile comments broke out afresh. General Wood is not a graduate of West Point and was a surgeon in the army at the beginning of the



MAJOR GENERAL LEONARD WOOD.

Spanish war, when he organized and assumed command of the famous regiment of rough riders in which President Roosevelt was lieutenant colonel. General Wood holds a congressional medal of honor which was awarded him for bravery in a campaign against Apaches. His career is a notable illustration of the pranks of fortune. An old friend of General Wood once said:

"Some time in the fall of 1897—I don't recall the exact date—I received a letter from General Wood. He wound up by saying that he was thinking strongly of making a trip into the Klondike country, which was then the sensation of the hour. The exact wording escapes me, but the inference was that the future looked rather blank—in short, that he would have to do something then, if ever, and the Klondike seemed to offer a chance. In less than four months after getting this despatched letter the Maine was destroyed, and the circumstances were in motion that were destined to put a general's stars on the doc's shoulder straps, and surfeit him with glory. If he had made the necessary arrangements in 1897 I dare say he would be sitting to day in a miner's cabin."

### OFFICER AND HEIRESS.

*Romance of Lieutenant Scharrar and His Young Bride.*

Love, bravery and beer formed a most unusual combination in the case of the beautiful Miss Wilhelmina Busch and the gallant Lieutenant Edward F. Scharrar. The Lieutenant is an officer of the German army. The girl with whom he fell in love is the daughter of the millionaire brewer, Adolphus Busch of St. Louis. He was an ardent wooer and it is said had proposed several times previous to the memorable day on which he took the brewer's daughter on a ride to Bellevue, a suburb of St. Louis. She had not said "yes" before, but on this day he was particularly ardent and suggested marriage on the spot. They went to a hotel, and the would-be bridegroom wrote on the register "Mr. and Mrs. Edward Scharrar." How-

ever, he was a statesman, and a man of too fine political judgment, to become a candidate for the office of governor tacked on to the tail of any man, be he a machine or an anti-machine candidate.

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## FREDONIA AND KELSEY.

Mrs. Albert Likens, of Carrsville was the guest of relatives here last week.

Owen Boaz of Salem was here last Sunday.

Dr. J. N. Todd returned Saturday from Chicago where he has been several weeks attending the medical lectures.

An infant of Dan Patton and wife died Sunday and was buried on Monday.

Rev. Miller preached Sunday at 3 p.m. at Cookseyville.

Albert Boaz and Dr. Farris were in Marion Monday.

Chas. Burks of Blackford, was here Monday.

Yes, we are still selling flour at 50c per sack. Bennett & Son.

Miss Aldora Cartwright of Princeton is visiting Mrs. Fanny Koon.

A. S. Threlkeld, city judge, spent last week with relatives in Livingston county.

Mrs. Nannie Owen and son Fred, who have been visiting her brother, S. C. Bennett, and family, for several weeks, left Monday for their home in Joplin, Mo.

Mr. Bentley and Kelly Landis spent Sunday in Dawson.

J. F. Paris went to Repton Sunday.

Several of our young people, chaperoned by Mr. and Mrs. Ira Bennett, went on a picnic July 4 and report a fine time.

Mrs. R. R. Bransford is visiting relatives at Dawson.

John Ray, one of our well known young farmers, had the misfortune to get one of his eyes seriously injured last week and left Sunday for Evansville to consult an oculist.

Miss Clara and Nonie Reid entertained several of their friends Saturday evening.

Mason jars, tin cans, rubbers, sealing wax, preserving kettles, etc.

Bennett & Son.

J. M. McChesney and wife of Marion, were guests of W. E. Cox and family several days last week.

Mrs. W. T. Reid has been sick for several days.

Wheat is about all threshed in this vicinity.

Mrs. Nettie Phillips, of South Carrollton, was the guest of relatives here last week.

The Fredonia post office has been discontinued; direct all mail for Fredonia to "Kelsey City."

## SHADY GROVE.

Quite a number of our people went to Marion Monday.

Tom Lamb was here Tuesday as substitute for Silas Guess.

Mrs. Nancy Gardner has been visiting her son John L. Gardner near Piney this week.

R. E. Towery went to Iron Hill Tuesday on business.

Jim McConnell of the Blackburn country, was in our midst this week.

William Tudor has taken charge of the post office at Shady Grove. William has had six years of experience as assistant postmaster under W. H. Towery.

Charles Utterback and wife of Piney, visited D. F. McDowell and family Saturday and Sunday.

Joel Pickens, of Marion was here Saturday.

R. L. McDowell went to Providence Friday on business.

Lon McDowell has returned from Rockville, Ind., where he has been enjoying Home Coming.

Wm. Brown has moved from Stringtown to Bellville Bend.

Will Melton has just bought him a new buggy.

News scarce this week.

Jasper Cardwell went to Crayneville Tuesday.

Edd Watson, the sawmill man was in Providence Tuesday.

Joe Brown, C. C. Ramage and R. E. Towery went to Marion Monday.

George Williams, of Marion, was here Tuesday.

The rain Sunday was very welcome.

## BELLVILLE BEND.

Once again the farmers have been blessed with a good rain.

Wheat and oats are very scarce in this section.

Miss Gusta Steavens of hear Quin spent Sunday with Misses Vina and Anabel Crowell.

Messrs. Leiley and Wiley Simpson, Russ Travis and Floyd McConnell, went to Blackford Saturday.

Geo. Blackwell of Clay was there Thursday.

John Travis spent a few days with his parents at Salem last week.

Mrs. Annie Fox went to Shady Grove Thursday.

Henry Travis went to Blackford Saturday.

The Bellville Bend baseball team crossed bats with Iron Hill Saturday. When the game was about half played Iron Hill, finding they could not hit Simpson's curves, threw up the sponge and gave the game to Bellville.

Remember Saturday is fortune telling day on Piney.

## IRON HILL.

Rev. Uriah Terry and wife of the Mounds community, were guests of E. L. Horning's family last Saturday.

The recent rains have made great improvement in corn and tobacco.

Mrs. Hattie Beard of Omaha, Nebraska, is visiting her mother, Mrs. Jane Kemp, near here at present.

Miss Sallie Porter of Marion, is spending a week with Mrs. Iona Sutton here.

Several from this vicinity went to Paducah Saturday.

Miss Carrie Morse spent last week with her uncle, Al. Dean north of Marion.

J. M. Dean and grandson, Isam Morse, attended church at Marion last Sunday.

Will Drennan and Miss Agnes Lamb attended the ice cream supper at Blackford Saturday evening.

Mr. J. N. Dean and daughter Dorothy and Lucy and little son Gates, spent several days with their uncle W. J. Hill, near Tribune, last week.

The latest arrival is a fine baby boy at Bud Gardner's.

Dr. Will Kemp and wife have gone to Luzon, in Webster county, and will locate there. Will is a fine young man in every respect and will merit a good practice.

## NEW SALEM.

Some complaining.

Corn looks fine.

Meadows being cut.

The hay crop shortest in years.

We want a wheat thresher.

Rev. George Summers, of Levias, was the guest of his son Ed. last week.

Our old Kentucky home looks fine these beautiful summer days.

The spring branch that divides the good counties of Crittenden and Livingston is getting to be a popular resort, don't ask us what the attraction is.

They tell us the dog law is no go; how is it? It will be thunder if we lose our coon hides.

Yes, we are thinking of going west for a short time; do ask us for a lock of our hair.

Mining prospects are brightening up in this end of the county.

The man who can sit composed when fifty chiggers are boreing holes into his anatomy and not say curse words, must surely see Father Abraham.

The blackberry crop is the finest in years.

The Stevens clay mine will begin shipping soon.

His Honor, Judge Blackburn was in our section last week, looking at and contracting for some work on our public roads.

Berry Davidson and family of Milford, were visiting relatives in this section recently.

Another fine rain last week.

Give us the news of your section, if you want it published.

## An Animal Story For Little Folks

### The North Pole Polar

Bruni was ambitious, and, like many of us, his ambition was always getting him into trouble. He was a polar bear and lived amid the ice and snows of the far north. One day, overhearing a conversation between two arctic explorers, he said to himself, for he usually talked to himself, not being able to get any one else to listen to him: "I wonder if I couldn't find that north pole they talk so much about. Here these fellows come from way off to the south and freeze most of themselves and starve the rest to find something that must be doating around loose up here, where I've lived all my days. By jinks, I'll find it."

For days he wandered on in his uncertain search until one day he saw in



"THIS IS GETTING TIRESOME."

the distance something sticking out of the water that he was sure was the north pole. "It's a pole anyway," he said to himself, "and I'm sure it's far enough north to be a north pole. I shall be famous if I find what all these men have been looking for so long."

So he crawled along the ice to where a ship had foundered and left one of its masts sticking out of the water.

"That's it!" cried Bruni eagerly. "At last I have it. I shall hold it till some one comes."

So he climbed to the top.

But no one came, of course.

"Oh, dear," thought he, "how long shall I have to wait for some one to tell my discovery to? This is getting tiresome."

Yes, and it was getting dangerous for the ice drifted away and left him stranded. For all I know, he's there yet."

"Good gracious!" said he. "What's the use of finding a thing you can't take home to show any one?"

That's true. What is the use?—St. Louis Post-Dispatch.

## An Animal Story For Little Folks

### The Monkey Artist

One day the Monk his camera Into the jungle took To get some photographs to paste Within his picture book.

He took the Lion and the Lamb Together at their tea, Both eating from a pot of jam, As here you plainly see.



"BOTH EATING FROM A POT OF JAM."

He took the Elephant, who played The part of circus clown, There standing in the jungle shade On his head upside down.

He took the Snake, who juggled plates Upon his tail, you know.

He took some other funny things We haven't room to show.

—Atlanta Constitution.

## One on the Professor.

Once upon a time Professor Wilson of Edinburgh wrote on the blackboard in his laboratory:

"Professor Wilson informs his students that he has this day been appointed honorary physician to the queen."

In the course of the morning he had occasion to leave the room, and found on his return that a student had added to the announcement the words: "God save the queen."—London Sketch

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Come in and let us show you this buggy. It has pleased hundreds of others and we know it will please you.

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## Coquillard Tubular Axle Wagons

## A Full Line of Heavy and Shelf Hardware

Green Seal and Hammar Bros. Paints.

## The American Field Fence

Buy your new fence for years to come. Get the big heavy wires, the hinge joint, the good galvanizing, the exactly proportioned quality of steel that is not too hard nor too soft. We can show you this fence in our stock and explain its merits and superiority, not only in the roll but in the field. Come and see us and get our prices.

## HINA & COX.

Successors to the Hina-Hardware Co.

## CHAPPEL HILL.

Everything is progressing in this precinct since the rains.

Wheat all in the stalk; send us a threshing machine; our yield is expected to be good.

The hay crop has come out considerable since the rains, but not more than half a crop is promised.

Corn in this neighborhood is up to an average crop, it is all about plowed over the last time.

The tobacco crop is about an average in this precinct, and looks well, some patches nearly large enough to top.

Mr. and Mrs. John Asbridge, from Kelsey, made a flying trip through this section last week and took dinner with W. H. Bigham and visited the I. B. Hodges' place, with a view of making a change in their location.

Mrs. Doc. J. C. Elder invited the Chapel Hill class to her home on last Sunday evening as she had never heard them play and sing; she was much pleased and invited them back again.

Blackberries are in full blast just now.

Messrs. H. G. Howard, Paine and Turner Hodge, of the Emmaus community, have gone to Colorado.

Mrs. Sarah Patton of this place is visiting her son, Jim Patton and wife, of Caldwell Springs, this week.

Mr. Bill McKinney is recovering from a severe illness of fever.

Little Collin Patton is very sick and under the care of a physician.

Ayers Hard, of Rainey, Colorado, writes back to his home people that he expects to visit them next fall.

The wheat threshers are in our midst now.

We didn't hear of so many barbecues on the Fourth of July this year as usual.

Several from here attended church at Emmaus Sunday.

Miss Sallie Boaz has just returned from a visit to friends in the Caldwell springs vicinity.

Mr. Phil Travis, of Emmaus, was a pleasant caller at the home of Mose L. Patton Sunday.

of Elm Grove, were here visiting his father's family Sunday.

The latest arrival among us is a boy at Riley Brasher's.

Marion Sunderland and family, of Caldwell Springs, were visiting Mrs. Kittie Sunderland Saturday and Sunday again next Saturday.

Mrs. R. H. Wright and son Hal, of Hampton, visited R. A. LaRue and family Thursday, en route to Marion.

Protracted meeting commenced at Siloam Sunday.

## CRAYNEVILLE.

Corn and tobacco are looking well. A large crowd from here attended services at Cookseyville Sunday.

Frank Deboe and family went to